

## REDS SNAP TRAP ON EAST PRUSSIA

STEADY GAINS  
CONTINUED ON  
LUZON PLAINSYANKS NEAR CLARK  
FIELD, 40 MILES  
FROM MANILA

BY RAY CRONIN  
Associated Press Wire Editor

Motorized American patrols, pressing down the central Luzon plains toward Manila, now are operating in the region of Clark Field, the biggest air base in the Philippines about 40 miles northwest of the capital, Gen. Douglas MacArthur reported late Wednesday.

The general estimated that in the two weeks since the invasion of Luzon the Japanese have suffered approximately 14,000 casualties—6,449 dead, 423 captured, 7,200 wounded.

American casualties total 3,145—645 killed, 187 missing and 2,301 wounded.

## Super Nests Dispersed

The Yanks on the west flank of the central plains continued their war of movement and swept through the town of Bamban and its airfield. The motorized patrols pushed on south of Babatlat to near Clark Field and Fort Stotsenburg. This represented the first penetration of Pampanga province, gateway to Manila. The Americans dispersed Japanese motor patrols and sniper nests.

In the Rosario sector near the Lingayen Gulf beachhead on the north—toughest spot the Yanks have bumped into—heavy naval guns relentlessly reduced fixed hill defenses.

American airmen flew in close support of the ground forces. They also hit Corregidor Island, at the entrance to Manila Bay, with 45 tons of explosives, setting off major explosions and fires. Baguio, the summer capital in the Benquet Mountains north of Rosario, was raided as were Subic and Dasol Bays on Luzon's west coast.

## Losses At Minimum

Referring to American casualties, General MacArthur said "every possible strategic and tactical ingenuity is being successfully employed to hold our losses to men to an absolute minimum."

Levy bombers continued to hammer Formosa on the north and the Borneo oil fields far to the south.

American Superfortresses and carrier plane attacks against the Japanese homeland, strategic Iwo Jima 750 miles south of Tokyo, Korea, Formosa and the Ryukyu Islands were reported Wednesday by Washington and Tokyo.

U. S. official reports placed the B-29s over Iwo while radio Tokyo told of Superfortresses hits against the Japanese homeland and Korea and carrier plane raids against Formosa and the Ryukyus, bases from which Nippo could sent air power against Luzon in the Philippines.

The Japanese claimed 13 Superfortresses were shot down and 50 damaged in Tuesday's attack on Nagoya. American official reports said only one of the big planes was lost despite ferocious Japanese interception. Tokyo admitted loss of six planes.

Officials at Osaka, industrial center on Honshu, said "ordinary inhabitants and especially important factories must be positively evacuated."

**Japanese Surprised**  
In the battle for the Arakan

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## Weather

(Reported by U. S. Weather Bureau)

LOWER MICHIGAN: Partly cloudy Thursday and occasional light snow Thursday night, becoming flurries Friday. Not so cold Thursday night, and in north and east portions Thursday. Little change in temperature Friday.

UPPER MICHIGAN: Occasional light snow and not so cold Thursday and Thursday night. Friday partly cloudy with snow flurries and little change in temperature. Moderate winds.

ESCANABA High 19 Low 9

Temperatures—Low Yesterday

—Indicates below zero.

Alpena 6 Los Angeles 45

Bismarck 24 Marquette 11

Buffalo 7 Miami 46

Brownsville 54 Milwaukee 22

Chicago 20 Minneapolis 17

Cincinnati 28 New Orleans 43

Cleveland 28 New York 22

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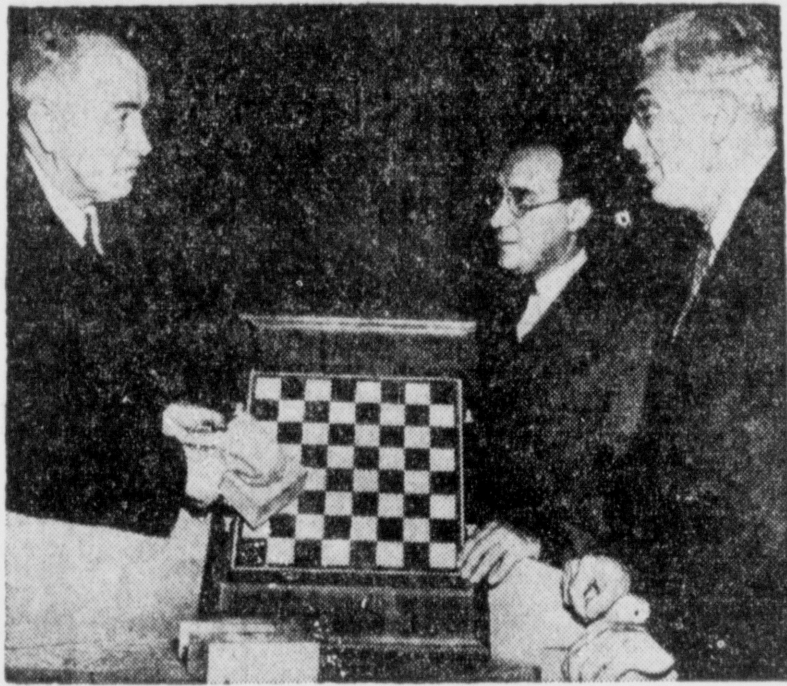
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Grand Rapids 22 St. Louis 30

Houghton 9 San Francisco 36

Jacksonville 40 Traverse City 17

Lansing 20 Washington 32



**SENATORS CHARGE WASTE IN NAVY YARDS**—The Senate War Investigating Committee, attacking the president's demands for laws to regiment the nation's workers, charges that waste of manpower and material is prevalent in Navy yards. Left to right, Sen. Harley M. Kilgore (Dem. W. Va.), Rudolph Halley, chief counsel, and Sen. Homer Ferguson (Rep. Mich.), are grouped around evidence—an inlaid checker board, oyster table, and other knickknacks—made by men of the Norfolk Navy Yard on company time and with company material. (NEA Telephoto.)

Wallace Not Qualified  
For Federal Loan Job,  
Jesse Jones Declares

BY TOM REEDY

Washington, Jan. 24 (AP)—Jesse Jones capped his long feud with Henry Wallace by declaring flatly today the former vice president just isn't qualified to take over his job of administration banker.

Lack of experience, the big, gray-haired Texan testified to the senate committee before a jam-packed crowd of 500 interested in President Roosevelt's proposed cabinet change.

Jones said he still regarded himself as secretary of commerce and loan administrator until Wallace is confirmed.

He studiously avoided mentioning Wallace, nominated on Monday to succeed him, until he was questioned sharply by a Wallace adherent, Senator Pepper (D-Fla.).

They squared off in a duel of sharp exchanges climaxed when Pepper asked Jones if he thought Wallace could handle his job. The banker said he didn't think so and Pepper tried to get more "factual data" for that opinion. Jones finally backed at the senator.

"You talk too much at one time. I didn't say he was incompetent. Stick to the text."

Chewing gum and cupping his ear from time to time, Jones was questioned at some length after he read a 350-word statement in which he warned that "untried ideas" and "visionary planning" in his job could wreck the country.

The session consumed more than three hours and the committee recessed until 10:30 a. m. Thursday when Wallace will have his say.

Until he was asked by Pepper's questioning, Jones never mentioned Wallace's name but he left no doubt of whom he was speaking in his sharply worded testimony before the senate commerce committee.

President Roosevelt's summary replacement of Jones as commerce secretary and RFC head to pay a political debt to Wallace had the capital so steamed up that the huge caucus room was jammed and an overflow crowd hammered hysterically at the doors.

**LABOR SERVICE BILL APPROVED**

**Ban On Closed Shop Is Eliminated; Men 18 To 45 Covered**

BY WILLIAM F. ARBOGAST

Washington, Jan. 24 (AP)—Minus an "anti-closed shop" clause, a limited national service bill for men between 18 and 45 won final approval of the House Military Committee today.

As a substitute for the closed shop ban which it had written in to the measure tentatively Monday by a 14 to 10 count, the committee voted to give registrants a "reasonable choice of employers for whom to work" when directed to do so by their local draft boards.

The original amendment would have permitted a man assigned to an essential job to work in a closed shop without joining a union. It was deleted by a margin of one or two votes.

The bill itself was approved by a 20 to 5 count, and Chairman May (D-Ky.) said he would ask the rules committee tomorrow to clear it for House debate starting either Friday or Monday. With several days of debate in sight, a final House decision is not expected before late next week.

**Detroit Detained For Questioning In Murder Of Hooper**

Lansing, Jan. 24 (AP)—Abe Rosenberg, 44, also known as Harry Rosenberg and Rosenberg, remained in custody tonight awaiting the return to the city of Kim Sigler, special grand jury prosecutor, and Oscar G. Olander, state police commissioner, to question him further concerning the January 11 slaying of Senator Warren G. Hooper.

Sigler and Capt. Harold Mulbar, chief of state police detectives, announced last night that Rosenberg was being held incommunicado for investigation, pending a check of his story of his actions on the day of the killing.

Rosenberg was questioned earlier in the investigation concerning the story of a witness that Rosenberg last October threatened Hooper's life in a Bay City bar room quarrel. He denied he had uttered any threats, and the witness "folded up" with his version of the bar room events, Sigler said, when brought face to face with Rosenberg, one time resort operator in Saginaw and Bay City and until recently a cigaret salesman in Detroit.

**Conversion To Oil From Coal Will Be Banned In Few Days**

Washington, Jan. 24 (AP)—The Office of Price Administration is planning to ban reconversion from coal to oil within a few days, a spokesman said tonight.

The prohibition will be effected as a result of the east coast's recent and current cold weather.

SECOND ARMY  
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BY AUSTIN BEALMEAR

Paris, Jan. 24 (AP)—The British Second army made advances of up to 2,000 yards today and pulled within three miles of the Roer River at three points inside Germany while the U. S. First and Third armies methodically continued ironing out the Nazis' flattened Ardenne salient against stiffening resistance.

The French First army's attack at the southern end of the long front also progressed steadily, securing several crossings of the Ill River, but in northern Alsace the Germans sharply increased the pressure on the U. S. Seventh army and it was disclosed that the American withdrawal, announced yesterday, had amounted to an average of seven to eight miles.

**Civilians Rescued**  
The new positions of Lt. Gen. Alexander M. Patch's Seventh army was indicated roughly as a line running southeastward from Reipertsviller through Niedermodern, Haguenau and Bischolze to Bischolze.

Several thousand civilians were evacuated in the withdrawal, more than 8,000 by train alone. Priorities were given FFI and public officials believed in most danger of reprisals from the Germans.

The veil of secrecy was lifted slowly from the French assault, disclosing that it involved "Allied" troops under Maj. Gen. Jean de Latre de Tassigny and that the drive was headed generally eastward north of the Rhinebank corridor.

The capture of Colmar rather than against the Nazi pocket in the Colmar area itself.

The most important British success in the Maas-Roer triangle at the northern end of the front was the capture of the major highway center of Heinsberg, which is nine miles northwest of Linlich, northern anchor of the U. S. Ninth army.

**Exodus Is Mystery**  
While some of Lt. Gen. Sir Miles G. Dempsey's troops fought into this seven-day road junction after a mile advance from Aphenov, others gained 2,000 yards in the center of the assault front and captured the town of Haaren. Still others cleared the towns of Montfort and Weerd in Holland driving within three miles of the Germans' Maas River bastion of Roermond.

Allied fliers reported a great exodus of German rail and road transport streaming northeastward from the Ardenne battle sector into Germany in a mystery move which, lacking official clarification, gave rise to speculation that the Nazi command was shifting large armored forces from the western to the eastern fronts.

**Trains Shot Up**  
Despite wretched weather, which in general slowed the Allied aerial assaults on the retreating Nazis after two days of powerful attack, RAF Spitfires, Tempests and Typhoons bombed and shot up many scores of trains streaming northeastward from the bulge.

Presumably loaded with a large part of the Panzer forces which bore the brunt of the German pre-Christmas offensive in the Ardenne, the enemy continued to move in broad daylight despite wholesale carnage and wreckage inflicted by the Allied planes.

The obvious explanation was that the Germans were rushing reinforcements to meet the Russian offensive in the east.

The American First and Third armies were hammering less than five miles from the German frontier after beating off German

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**Legislative Windup By April 13 Favored**

Lansing, Jan. 24 (AP)—Rep. Alpheus P. Decker, Deckerville Republican, submitted a resolution to the house of representatives today fixing April 13 for windup of the legislature's working session, and Republican majority stalwarts immediately rallied to its support.

It was sent to committee, where it may be changed. First to date, but Rep. Maurice E. Post, the Republican floor leader, and Speaker Howard Nugent said they could not see now why the goal could not be met if the members will tend to their work.

They said administration bills are to start coming in quickly, and that any which can not be drafted and acted upon before an April adjournment "can be left to a special session in 1946—farmer members of the legislature can not with this farm labor shortage afford to themselves longer than that."

**Gen. Lear Appointed Deputy Commander In European Sector**

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Gallagher was elected at the association's first business session in the three-day annual meeting. The new president commanded the steamer E. W. Mudge in the M. A. Hanna Co.'s ore fleet for four seasons after becoming a ship's master in 1940.

Other officers elected were Capt. Philip E. Thorpe of Chicago, first vice president; Capt. Harry F. Wiersch of Duluth, Minn., second vice president; Capt. Robert Thompson of Cleveland, (re-elected), treasurer, and Capt. John C. Murray of Cleveland, secretary, succeeding Capt. M. S. Peterson of Buffalo.

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## "How Far Did Russians Make Today?" GI's Ask Along Western Front

BY WES GALLAGHER

St. Vith, Belgium, Jan. 24 (AP)—The battle of Belgium is over and the Germans are trying to fend off the Allied forces on the western front with one hand while trying to cope with the new Russian offensive with their other hand.

At least two German divisions recently on this front have been rushed eastward to try and stem the Russians.

The No. 1 subject of interest among GI's even in this communications heart of Field Marshal von Rundstedt's western front drive is "how far did the Russians make today?" What is going on along the western front is secondary.

GI's and officers alike on this front, out of contact as they are with radios and the newspaper Stars and Stripes, interview correspondents about the latest word from the eastern front instead of the correspondents interviewing them about what is happening here. For the moment the big battles on the western front are over.

Even the capture of St. Vith was an anti-climax to the men who took it. The Germans were fighting only rearward actions with a second rate conglomeration of troops. The bulk of their forces

have disappeared into the Eifel hills, under air attack, to appear again only Von Rundstedt knows where.

Even the fighting in Alsace is a minor battle in comparison. Many American officers here are of the opinion Von Rundstedt is simply committing divisions in the Alsatian sector to keep them from being transferred to the eastern front and leave him completely stripped.

All other statements from sources far removed from the fighting to the contrary, the Germans are not being forced to defend their long western wall with all they have. Von Rundstedt is fending off the Americans with his rearguard only and aggressive action is on a small scale.

The British fighting in Holland involves comparatively few troops and in Alsace the French and Americans have plenty of territory to trade for time, and are trading it.

**Pressure Is Off**  
The pressure has been taken off the western front by the Russian offensive. And no one knows it better than the men in the foxholes, knee deep in snow; the men who recaptured what was once this key city.

"What I would like to do is just step across the street there and shake hands with the first Russian patrol," declared Cpl. John J. Kelly, Chicago. "That would suit me right down to the ground."

It is that thought Kelly is not alone.

The biggest joke on this front is, "what worries me is that these Russians are not taking any American prisoners" or "I hear that Cologne is the main objective of Uncle Joe's boys."

Heavy snows and cold added GI appreciation of the difficulties of the Russians fighting on the eastern front and more than one doughboy has expressed the opinion that "we could use a few Russians over here, they know how to fight in this snow."

**HOUSE OF DAVID TO GET REFUND**

**Federal Judge Says Cult Is Not Liable Under Social Security**

Grand Rapids, Jan. 24 (AP)—Federal Judge Fred M. Raymond Wednesday ordered \$2,169.25 in social security taxes refunded to the Israelite House of David, upholding the organization's contention in a federal court suit that it is not liable to employment taxes under the social security act.

In his ruling, Judge Raymond said because there is no legal relationship of employer and employee between the organization and its members, it does not owe for social security taxes previously assessed.

The court found that the association pays no wages in fact, and that food, clothing, shelter and medical attention are not furnished in lieu of wages but solely because of membership in the association.

According to the articles of faith of the group, the court found, all labor and services performed by the members are an absolute gift and no member can make any claim against the association for services rendered.

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## Gestapo Whipmen Order All Males Into Front Lines

BY RICHARD KASISCHKE

London, Jan. 24 (AP)—The Nazis dug new trenches to guard Berlin and Gestapo Chief Himmler's whipmen ordered every able-bodied German male thrown into the "Red inferno of the east" today.

While the Moscow radio broadcast frontline reports that the Nazis were evacuating all civilians from Silesia, Pomerania and Warthegau (Poznan province), the Nazi transoceanic news service reported "new lines are under construction inside the Reich."

The Paris radio added that Berliners were digging trenches around the capital.

"Every German able to bear arms is being thrown against the advancing Russians," transoceanic reported, saying all available forces are being mobilized and the remaining civilians are being recruited for the Volkssturm, or home guard.

A Moscow broadcast tonight said Himmler had set up a new eastern front defense council with "unlimited powers" and with himself personally presiding.

**MISS PERKINS ASKED TO STAY**

**Roosevelt Won't Accept Secretary Of Labor's Resignation**

Washington, Jan. 24 (AP)—President Roosevelt has declined to accept Frances Perkins' resignation as secretary of labor, it was learned today, quieting pre-inauguration reports she would be replaced in the fourth term cabinet.

Miss Perkins refused to make public a letter from the president asking her to continue and rejecting her request to be permitted to quit after 12 years.

The president's decision was reported to have been conveyed to her orally last Friday, the day before his latest inauguration.

One of the last two members of Mr. Roosevelt's original cabinet—Secretary of Interior Ickes is the other—she has been represented as wanting for a long time to step out of the labor post.

The president was known to have offered nearly a month ago to appoint any successor on whom the CIO and AFL could agree.

Miss Perkins, a New Englander who nearly always appears in severe black topped by an inevitable tri-cornered hat, has taken great pride in her contribution to the new deal's legislative record, notably social service laws.

**Retailers Face Cut In Coal Deliveries For 1945-46 Season**

Washington, Jan. 24 (AP)—The nation's bituminous coal retailers and consumers faced the prospect tonight of a possible 20 per cent cut in deliveries to retailers next year.

The possibility of a drop in bituminous deliveries during the 1945-1946 heating season for the nation as a whole was seen as a result of a Solid Fuels Administration order specifically dealing with shipments to the Great Lakes docks. An SFA spokesman indicated that extension of similar controls to the nation's other bituminous coal retailers was probable.

The regulation requires shippers to enter into contracts with the Great Lakes docks for the next navigation season, which begins about April 1, so as to replenish low stocks.

The prohibition on shipment to the Great Lakes affects contracts for shipment of prepared sizes from western Pennsylvania, eastern Kentucky, southern West Virginia, Virginia and northeastern Tennessee.

**Snow Stops Falling On Italian Front; Houses Demolished**

Rome, Jan. 24 (AP)—Fifth army patrols engaged strong German defenses on highway 45 within eight and a half miles of Bologna today as snow ceased falling on the Italian front.

Farther east the Germans were reported carrying out wholesale demolitions of houses for possible cover of 8th army troops in the entire area of their Senio river stronghold of Alfonsine.

Fifth army patrols met heavy fire at Casa Nuova, nine miles south of Bologna. Enemy patrols on the Eighth army sector continued active along the Senio river.

Eighth army tanks blasted Nazi strongpoint houses on the west bank of the Senio north of San Polito and three miles below Fusignano.

**WAR CASUALTIES**—S. Sgt. Lyle J. Utt, 24, Escanaba, missing in Luxembourg since Dec. 18; Pfc. Russell Hominger of Nahma, previously reported missing, is back in action; Pfc. Ward Bittner missing in Luxembourg since Dec. 18. Pages 6, 5 and 3.

**ICE REVUE**—Figure Skating club's big show scheduled for Feb. 16 to 18. Page 10.

**UTILITY REVENUES**—Electric, water, gas and steam plants bring in \$432,257.03 during during 1944. Page 6.

**FUND DRIVE**—Cameron heads Gladstone collection to combat infantile paralysis. Page 9.

**JAPAN**—Speaker at Manistiquette declares homeland of Nips must be invaded. Page 9.

THRUST MADE  
ACROSS ODER  
DEFENSE LINEHEART OF GERMANY  
THREATENED BY  
SOVIET WEDGE

BY W. W. HERCHER

London, Thursday, Jan. 25 (AP)—Ripping through German Silesia and East Prussia at blitzkrieg pace, the Russians yesterday captured Oppeln, upper Silesian capital, and reached within 4 1/2 miles of Breslau amid reports that they already had crossed the Oder River line and had snapped shut the war's greatest trap on East Prussia.

In westernmost Poland, against apparently stiffening opposition, the Soviet forces nevertheless plunged ahead a dozen miles in the neighborhood of Poznan on the most direct path to Berlin, 137 miles west of Poznan.

**Six Armies In Action**  
Four orders of the day by Premier Stalin and a long midnight communique broadcast from Moscow disclosed the continued sweeping scope of the Russian mid-winter offensive and announced that a sixth army had joined the great drive.

The Germans themselves announced that the Russians had thrust tanks and patrols across the Oder River in Silesia but contended all had been wiped out. A Reuters dispatch from Moscow said the Russians had established "at least one bridgehead" across the river which guards the heart of Germany.

While Moscow did not confirm the breaching of the Nazis "last-ditch" line, the nightly communique said that Marshal Ivan S. Konev's First Ukrainian army group had extended its frontage on the east bank of the Oder and among more than 200 German towns captured was Margareth, four and one-half miles southeast of Breslau, chief city of the industrially important province.

**City Evacuated**  
Earlier Stalin had announced Konev's capture of Oppeln, 48 miles southeast of Breslau.

The German radio said all women and children had been removed from Breslau and that every man in the city from 16 to 60 had been called into the people's army. The gauler of Silesia declared Breslau was a fortress to be defended to the utmost.

Shortly after disclosing the Russians' Oder crossing and the imminent peril of Breslau, the German DNB agency broadcast that the battle for East Prussia had "become somewhat acute," with tank columns of the Second White Russian army "reaching the district of the Vistula estuary southwest of the port of Elbing," last land escape route from East Prussia.

Rokossovsky's men, besides extending their hold in the Polish corridor, also launched a new invasion of East Prussia from the southeast, taking Lyck, Neudorf and Bialla, all



12 LEAVE TODAY FOR INDUCTION

Twelve Delta county registrants will leave this morning for Milwaukee where they will be inducted into service, it was announced yesterday by the draft board. They will spend tonight at the Hotel Flister in Milwaukee and induction will take place tomorrow.

Charles Sabar has been named leader of the group which includes Raymond Eldred Kinziger, John Gerard Lester, Joseph Raymond Lucier, Paul Elmer Lee, Dale Arne Sviland, William Joseph Fluetter, Elmer Wallace LaMarch, Maurice Frank St. Ours Jr., Edward August Lindstrom, Norman Nils Nelson and William Jacob Bonifas.

In the group that left for pre-induction examination Tuesday Ernest Laviolette was leader and Arne Johnson assistant leader.

SECOND ARMY DRIVES WEDGE INSIDE REICH

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rearguards who struck back weakly in the narrow remaining strip of the once-extensive Ardennes bulge. Snow helped protect the retreating enemy from air attack and increased the German resistance.

**Snow Slows Attack**

The weather slowed the Third army to a walk today, although the Nineteenth infantry division, repulsing the first counterattack in a week in the Houffalize area, gained a mile in the northern tip of Luxembourg near Holler, 3 1/2 miles west of the German border.

The Sixth armored division also fought much snow and few Germans. Associated Press Correspondent Lewis Hawkins reported from the front, gaining a mile near Wilverdange, 10 miles east of Houffalize. The 60th division gained a mile and a half, reaching the Clerf River three miles northeast of Wiltz.

Overnight Third army infantry had advanced 2 1/2 miles across the headwater of the Clerf River, capturing Binsfeld.

Both the 90th division and the Sixth cavalry group encountered the enemy dug in on the west side of the Clerf.

On the First army's front just to the north the Germans in a desperate, unsuccessful effort to recapture St. Vith, struck back early today in a series of counterattacks against the Seventh armored division, which had cleared the highway center Tuesday. The attacks, in strength ranging up to 200 infantry and seven tanks, were beaten off with capture of 250 prisoners.

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Columbus, O., Short Of Water; Warplant Is Forced To Close

Columbus, Ohio, Jan. 24 (AP)—Ohio's capital city of more than 300,000 population went on short water rations today as drought conditions forced closing of a \$30,000,000 warplane plant and schools and threatened operation of industries and business establishments.

Many homes in high sections of the city were without water, non-essential industries were ordered by Mayor James A. Rhodes to close, and both business places and residents were admonished to practice strict conservation to prevent a city-wide shutdown.

Rhodes said water would be turned off immediately at non-essential industries which failed to close and expressed concern over possible fires, especially in residential districts.

The huge Curtiss-Wright plant east of here, which turns out Hell-diver bombers for the navy, shut down completely about noon when water pressure failed. West high school and other city schools suspended classes until at least Monday.

Margarine Point Values Increased

Washington, Jan. 24 (AP)—OPA is hiking the red-point price of margarine to keep it out of the frying pan and on the table.

The increase from two to three points per pound effective Sunday was announced today. OPA said at the same time that present blue-point values for processed foods will remain unchanged in February.

Also effective Sunday, fat pork cuts, which have been point-free, will cost one red point a pound. These items include jowl bacon, fatbacks, jowls and jowl butts.

Hospital

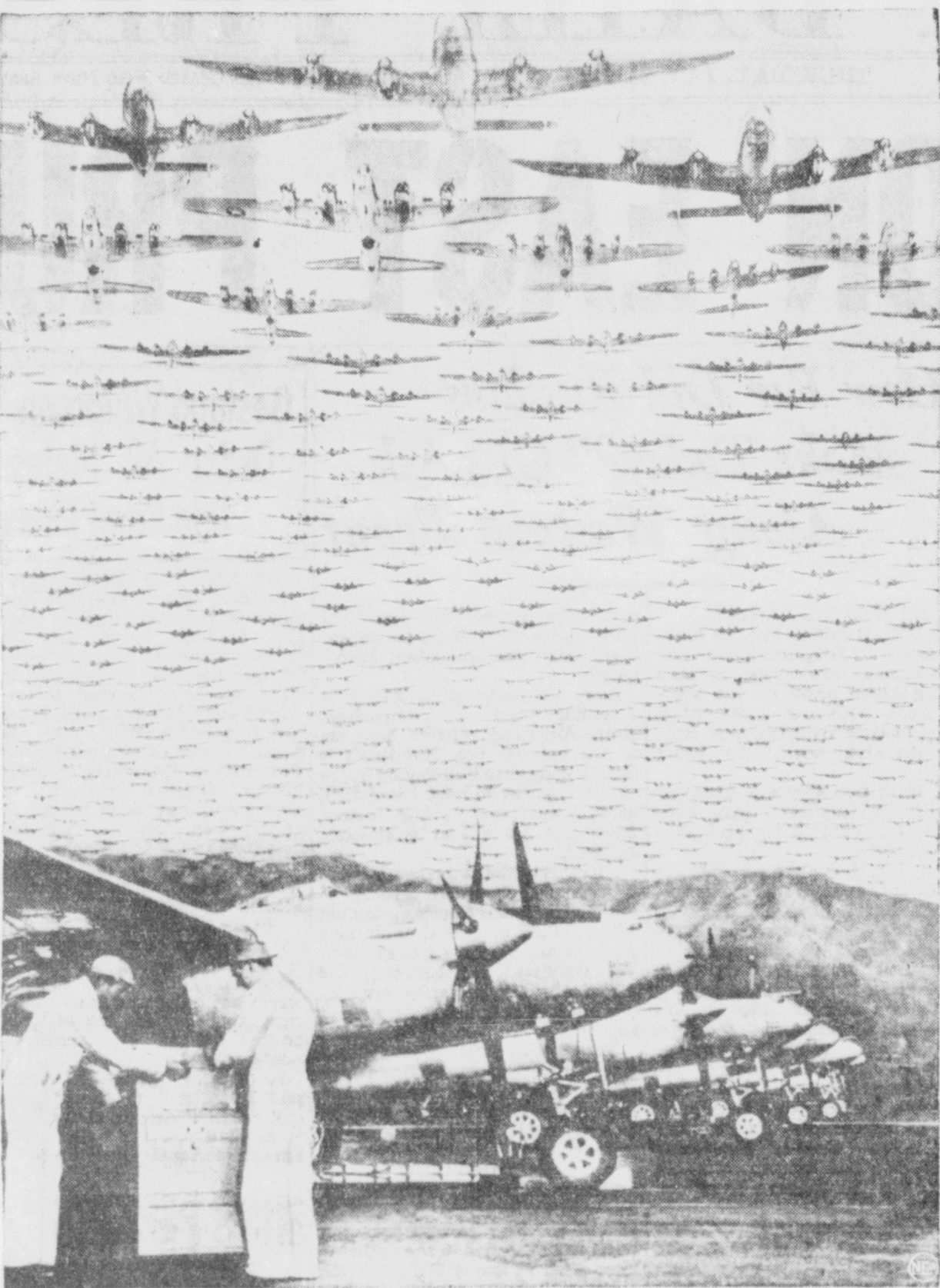
Janice Lee Butryn, eight year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Butryn, Bark River, Route Two, submitted to an operation for appendicitis at St. Francis hospital on Wednesday morning.

Mrs. Andrew Olson of Soo Hill was admitted to St. Francis hospital as a surgical patient.

Harris

Pvt. John J. Kane, who is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Kane, Sr., will leave Saturday to return to Boca Raton, Fla.

More than 100 million board feet of lumber is grown annually on one large Tree Farm.



GRIEF ON THE WING FOR JAPAN — The composite photo above can give the Japs a faint idea of what's in the wind for their homeland. Representing less than one month's output from only one American manufacturer—the Lockheed Aircraft Corporation in Burbank, Calif.—the myriad planes give a graphic demonstration of America's greatest weapon—production capacity. Planes represented are the huge Constellation transport, P-38 Lightning Ventura Patrol bomber and the B-17 Flying Fortress. (NEA Photo.)

With The AEF

Kenneth L. Dixon

On the Belgian Front (delayed) (AP)—During the early stages of the German counteroffensive a battalion commander found his outfit nearly surrounded and heavily outnumbered. The position could not be held and it became necessary to withdraw before the final lone corridor of escape was cut off.

But even that corridor was chopped and slashed by shell-fire. Mortars burst regularly along it and small arms fire indicated how difficult it was going to be just getting out afoot. He realized it would be impossible to take 18 wounded men out with the rest of the battalion—regardless of his wishes—and told them so in terse sentences.

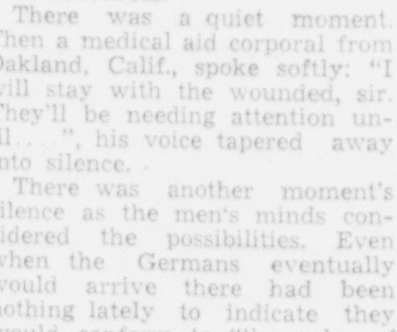
There was a quiet moment. Then a medical aid corporal from Oakland, Calif., spoke softly: "I will stay with the wounded, sir. They'll be needing attention until . . ." his voice tapered away into silence.

There was another moment's silence as the men's minds considered the possibilities. Even when the Germans eventually would arrive there had been nothing lately to indicate they would conform to "the rules of warfare" as far as the medics were concerned, and besides, shells, mortars and the like know no Geneva regulations whatever.

Another medical corporal from Portland, Ore., looked at a private, first class, from Berlin, Pa. Then in three quiet words, they said together what they had to say: "count us in."

That is all there is to their story when you put it down on paper. You can't print their names yet and there isn't anything else to tell because you do not know what happened. But there was a lot more in the minds of the rest of the boys in the battalion as they filed out.

As they looked back, they saw three anonymous medics tending the wounded while they waited—for mortars, shells, rifle fire or the tender mercies of SS Supermen.



Dixon

Alaska Big Opening For Unmarried Gals

BY JEAN SMALL

New York, Jan. 24 (AP)—Lady, are you 29 and still unmarried? You can't dance? Got red, rough hands? Shy with boys? And people talk about you behind your back?

It won't matter in Alaska. There's more than enough for all in them tar hills, and we don't mean gold.

Mrs. Jane Hope Whitney, USO club director, just returned from Alaska, stated flatly today that any wallflower determined to get a man should unpack her snowshoes and trek northwards.

She said that at one recent USO dance there were five girls to 250 men.

"Of course the girls get completely spoiled," she said, "but you can't blame them with men trailing them all the time."

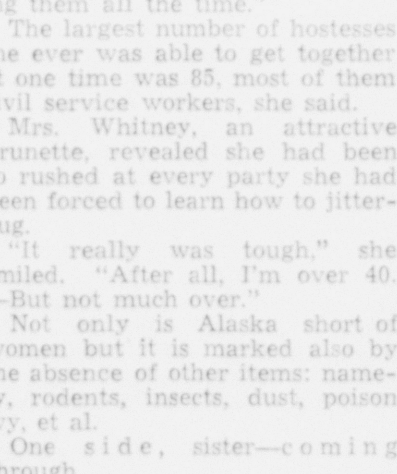
The largest number of hostesses she ever was able to get together at one time was 85, most of them civil service workers, she said.

Mrs. Whitney, an attractive brunette, revealed she had been so rushed at every party she had been forced to learn how to jitters.

"It really was tough," she smiled. "After all, I'm over 40. —But not much over."

Not only is Alaska short of women but it is marked also by the absence of other items: namely, rodents, insects, dust, poison ivy, et al.

One side, sister—coming through.



Small

Briefly Told

**Girl Scout Meeting**—Representatives of Girl Scout sponsoring groups, persons planning to be troop committee members, and leaders of troops, will attend an initial training meeting to be held at 4 o'clock Monday afternoon at the Delta hotel. Miss Jenny Lind, Girl Scouts field adviser, will conduct the meeting.

Manhours of labor tied up in fighting forest fires each year could build more than 800 fighter planes.

the 84th "Railsplitter" Division ought to be international currency experts. In five months, they have been paid in money of five different countries and have been involved in financial transactions of several additional lands.

It began when the division was staging for its departure overseas and drew its last home pay in American dollars. The next payday the men were in England and received pounds. The next time they were in France and drew French francs. By the time the next payday rolled around they had slugged through the Siegfried line and then collected in German Marks. Then came the German breakthrough and they shifted southward to help help Marshal von Rundstedt's drive, so they were handed Belgian Francs.

Besides all this, they were in Holland briefly and swapped Francs for Dutch Gulden.

STEADY GAINS CONTINUED ON LUZON PLAINS

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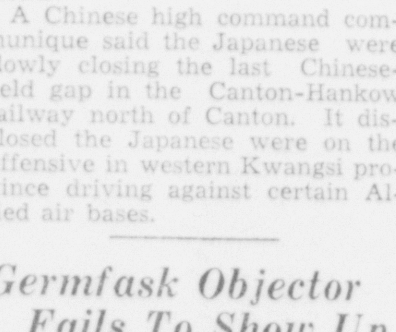
coast, western Burma, British amphibious forces again surprised the Japanese and made a new landing southwest of Kangaw and pushed inland where they beat off strong Japanese counterattacks.

In central Burma, where Mandalay is the prize, the British advanced three miles to within 32 miles west of the objective. On the north, 45 miles from Mandalay, counter-attacking Japanese sustained severe losses.

Adm. Lord Louis Mountbatten said the general southward surge of Chinese, British and American forces had "inflicted a crushing defeat on the enemy and driven him from North Burma."

More than 350 Japanese retreating southward from the old Burma Road sector some 80 miles north of Lashio ran into an American artillery roadblock and were killed in a series of bombardments.

A Chinese high command communiqué said the Japanese were slowly closing the last Chinese-held gap in the Canton-Hankow railway north of Canton. It disclosed the Japanese were on the offensive in western Kwangsi province driving against certain Allied air bases.



Germfask Objection

Germfask Objection Fails To Show Up For His Sentence

Grand Rapids, Jan. 24 (AP)—Corbett Bishop, 38 year old conscientious objector who staged an 85 day hunger fast in protest against the government, failed to show up here today for sentencing on charges of desertion from the civilian work camp at Germfask, Mich.

Four others appeared on the same charge however and were given three year jail terms by Federal Judge Fred M. Raymond. They are: Ernest H. Banaszak, 22, Benton Harbor; Donald Ross Burton, 23, Hudson, Wis.; Bjorn Ekrom, Portland, Ore.; Calvin Clay Pope, 19, Polk County, Tex.

NAMED ON COUNCIL

New York, Jan. 24 (AP)—Rev. Dr. A. Haapanen of Hancock, Mich., president of the Finnish Suomi Synod, was named a member of the executive committee of the National Lutheran Council at its meeting here today.

Munising News

Registrants Called For Examinations

Munising—According to new selective regulations requiring that all Class 2-C registrants, 18 to 25 years, inclusive, be given a pre-induction physical examination, the following registrants have been ordered to report on February 6 to be examined in Detroit on February 7:

Donald D. Seppanen, Trenary; Arthur J. Niemi, Trenary; John R. Mikulich, Trenary; George J. Webber, Trenary; Paul E. Smith, Trenary; Neilo J. Erickson, Trenary; Jalmer B. Wirtanen, Trenary; George A. Varti, Eben Jct.; Toivo E. Kuivinen, Eben Jct.; William I. Mathews, Eben Jct.; Toivo A. Lehtomaki, Eben Jct.; Eugene M. Pohjonen, Eben Jct.; Oswald J. Hautamaki, Eben Jct.; Paul B. Anderson, Limestone; Harold L. Storm, Limestone; Arthur R. Ikkala, Sundell; Leslie J. Frigard, Chatham; Martin H. Waananen, Kiva.

Also John A. Salo, Eben, transferred here from Detroit.

Alger Public Relief Costs Summarized

Munising—In December, there were 341 cases receiving public aid in Alger county. The amount received was \$9,947.97 which was paid to those individuals receiving old age assistance, aid to dependent children, aid to the blind and direct relief.

The state pays 75 per cent of direct relief costs and the county, 25 per cent. In December, 28 families received \$549.37.

Funds for old age assistance, aid to dependent children, and aid to the blind are furnished by state and federal governments. There were 272 who received old age assistance in December. The amount received was \$7,636.30, or an average grant of \$28.18.

Thirty-three families received aid to dependent children in December for 80 children. A total of \$1,772.30 was paid, averaging \$53.71 a family. Many of these families are partially self-supporting and receive aid to supplement their income.

There are nine persons receiving aid to the blind. In December they received \$282.80, averaging \$31.42. This program is frequently misunderstood. It is not necessary that a person be absolutely blind to receive aid. The law requires that to qualify, a person must have a maximum of 20/200 vision. This means they are able to see to some degree, but not well enough to perform a remunerative occupation.

Operating cost of the Alger county infirmary was \$851.81 in December. This included \$589.12 for coal which will last the entire winter; \$399.95 was spent on afflicted adult hospitalization, and administrative costs of the welfare department totalled \$167.09. These are paid entirely from county funds.

The county also furnished office space, lights, heat and telephone for the bureau of social aid, which administers old age assistance, aid to dependent children and aid to the blind. In most counties of the state, the bureau of social aid and the welfare department are two separate organizations. However, in Alger county, these two offices have been combined. The employees are paid by the state and also from county funds, according to the percentage of the total case load each department has. This procedure has been adopted by a number of counties in the Upper Peninsula to avoid duplication of jobs and to save money in salaries.

**MUNISING BRIEFS**

Mrs. Szymanski of Calumet arrived here Monday to visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Rader.

Pvt. Emil Aanderud, who is stationed at Fort Lewis, Wash., visited friends here Monday while enroute back to his camp after spending a furlough with his parents in Negaunee.

Henry Gerow left Sunday for Rochester, Minn., where he will enter the Mayo clinic for medical attention.

Richard Oas and Tom Scott have completed their boot training at Great Lakes and are home visiting their parents and friends.

Leslie Knuttila, U. S. Coast Guard, is spending a leave here with his wife and parents.

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THRUST MADE ACROSS ODER DEFENSE LINE

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with those of Gen. Ivan D. Cherniakhovsky's Third White Russian group, which had stabbed up to the border Tuesday in the same area.

Cherniakhovsky's men Wednesday dug deeper into East Prussia on the northeast and east, taking more than 250 German communities, including the big towns of Angerburg and Widminnen, in a drive through the lake region below Konigsberg.

In East Prussia and Silesia together, the Russians took 650 German communities in a day.

Between Silesia and East Prussia the First White Russian army of Marshal Gregory K. Zhukov fought its way west in the area just east of Poznan.

Berlin 149 Miles

Moscow placed Zhukov's forces still some 25 miles east of Poznan, with capture of Szubin, Znin, Janowice, Klecko and Wrzesnia in that area on the most direct pathway towards Berlin.

Nearest Soviet - announced approach to Berlin, however, was by Konev's First Ukraine group, which seized the Polish border town of Rawicz, near Silesia and but 149 miles southeast of Berlin. This thrust also put the Russians 34 miles northwest of Breslau in an obvious outflanking maneuver.

Southwest of Lodz, which lies some 56 miles east of Kalisz, the Soviet communique announced that an encircled German grouping had been annihilated, with 6,000 of the enemy slain, 3,000 captured and 53 tanks seized.

Soviet announcements of German casualties have been few thus far in the offensive that began Jan. 12, but early in the breakthrough Moscow suggested that many German formations were being ripped apart and left isolated in the rear for later disposition.

News From Men In The Service

Marshall Joseph Blake, Seaman 1/c USNR, of the Armed Guard Center, New Orleans, La., who is visiting at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Blake, 508 South Nineteenth street, recently returned from a tour of duty during which he visited Panama and ports in the Pacific, including Hawaii, S. I. Blake, Marshall, Caroline and Admiralty Islands. Seaman Blake, who is twenty years old, was graduated from Escanaba high school in 1942 and entered the Navy on December 12 of that year, receiving his boot training at the Great Lakes Naval Training Station. He now has twenty-one months sea duty to his credit, and at the close of his leave will report for further assignment to duty afloat.

England has a postwar reforestation program which will provide full employment for 50,000 men.

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Ford Turning Out Buzz Bomb Engines In Mass Production

BY DAVID J. WILKIE

(AP) Automotive Editor

Detroit (AP)—With automobile assembly line methods and automobile body sheet steel, the Ford Motor company is turning out jet propulsion engines for robot bombs in mass production.

The output of twin assembly lines is a military secret, but according to R. Ray Rausch, general superintendent of the Ford Company, who has supervised the entire production task, the assembly job is simple. Dozens of the engines in various stages of completion fill the two lines at the nearby River Rouge plant.

They start at one end of the line as rough tubes, to which are welded funnel-shaped front ends to form combustion chambers. They come off the lines with an ingenious impulse jet engine installed and automatically controlled carburetor tested and fitted. They are shipped to another point to be mounted atop a highly streamlined fuselage.

The fuselage contains a warhead or explosive charge, fuel, automatic control equipment and two spherical compressed air tanks to run control lines. Overall the bomb measures about 17 feet in span and 27 feet in length.

The engines power robots similar to the German V-1. They were designed from a reconstructed German weapon that failed to explode and was brought from England to Wright Field.

Heart of the device is a small flat "grid assembly" resembling a miniature automobile radiator core. It fits over the funneled end of the tube. Girl workers bolt together its 150 parts, chiefly strips of furrowed metal and flexible metal "gates."

Pulsating at a rate of more than 40 times a second, these "gates" admit air into the combustion chamber as fuel is sprayed in through nozzles.

On the outside face of the grid assembly is a series of tubes that feed the fuel to nine nozzles or injectors on the opposite surface of the grid assembly. The nozzles are placed in rows of three. Protecting strips between each row prevent air turbulence.

To start the engine and get the robot into the air, a single spark plug is used to ignite the gas accumulation in the combustion chamber. Once the sequence of pulsations, air intake, fuel spray and automatic closing of the gates is established, the operation is wholly automatic. The heat within the combustion chamber detonates the gas.

The explosions come in very rapid succession. Their force, following the line of least resistance—the open rear end of the tube—drives the aerial bomb forward.

Another vital part of the device produced at the Ford factory is the carburetor, mounted in the fuselage. It is largely a magnesium casting. The needle valve is maintained in proper position by air controls until an attached shut-off valve is tripped by a time clock.

As the fuel supply thus is cut off, the robot bomb begins its nose dive at something like 400 miles an hour. Another method of determining the point at which the bomb will begin its descent is by exact calculation of the amount of fuel.

Speed and range are determined by weight of fuel load and warhead.

Ferris Elias Dies Here On Wednesday

Ferris Elias, 69, 534 N. 19th street, died at 10:30 a. m. Wednesday following a heart attack suffered three days ago.

He was born on June 30, 1875 at Machgara, Syria, and came to this country 50 years ago. He settled first in Houghton and had lived here for 25 years and operated a fruit store at 800 Ludington street until 1930. Mrs. Elias died on March 13, 1944.

Survivors include three children James of Escanaba, Mrs. Thomas Arbogast of Chicago and George in Machgara, Syria.

The body was taken to the Allo funeral home to be prepared for burial and will be in state there this evening. Funeral services will be held at nine o'clock on Saturday morning at St. Patrick's church. Rev. Norbert Freiberg will officiate and burial will be in St. Joseph's cemetery.

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## PFC HOMINGER BACK IN ACTION

### Nahma Soldier Was Previously Reported Missing

Nahma.—Pfc. Russell Hominger, son of Mr. and Mrs. William Hominger, of Nahma, who was reported missing in action somewhere in Germany on December 19, was back in action in Belgium, on December 24, according to a message from the war department received by his parents on Saturday, January 20.

Pvt. Hominger, a member of the Old Hickory Division which fought its way across France, Belgium, Holland and into Germany, was wounded in action in Holland on October 8, and later returned to active service.

He has been overseas since June 14. His wife and son are now living in Detroit.

### Cooks

#### Birth

Cooks.—Mrs. Joe Raindl has returned from the Shaw hospital, Manistique, with her baby daughter, the first girl in a family of two children.

#### Personals

Ensign and Mrs. Melvin Lund of Hutchinson, Kansas, are home on furlough with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hans Lund of Cooks and Mr. and Mrs. Caleb Johnson of Isabella. Mrs. Lund is the former Melba Johnson.

Mr. and Mrs. John Carstensen of Iron Mountain spent a few days here with relatives last week.

Visitors at the John Neadow home during the week were Mr. and Mrs. Lester Richards and Mrs. Napoleon Desjardins and daughter Rita.

Connie, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William McEachron spent the week end at the Wiegand home.

Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Leonard and daughters and Mrs. John Carey of Escanaba were Sunday guests at the Herb Popour home.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Neadow Sunday were Bob Neadow and Robert Foye of Thompson, Miss Betty Neadow and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Pilon and family of Nahma.

Andre Maurois' original name was Emile Herzog but he was taken the name of Maurois in his personal life as well as in his writing.

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## News From Men In The Service

Pfc. August Nelson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Nelson, of 1109 Sheridan Road, who has been in the service thirty months, and overseas for the past twenty-six months, writes from Iran, Persia, saying that his third Christmas away from home was not so bad as they had turkey and "all the trimmings," although it was not like being home. He received eight Christmas boxes all of which came through the same day, and says that he had a picnic opening them and that he has enough things to last six months. He also writes that they see good shows regularly and that they have a ball team.



Nelson

An Air Service Command Station in England.—2nd Lt. John H. Wawirka, the son of Frank Wawirka, of 714 Ludington street, Escanaba, Mich., recently completed an orientation course designed to bridge the gap between training in the States and combat soldiering against the enemy in Germany.

At this air service command station Lt. Wawirka attended a series of lectures given by veterans of this command which included instructions on chemical warfare defense and pertinent tips on staying healthy in a combat zone.

His next station will be one from which America's fighting planes cover our advance into Germany.

Before entering the Army Air Forces, he was a student at Michigan State College in East Lansing, Mich.

An Air Service Command Station, Somewhere In England.—Sgt. Alfred L. Dahl, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Dahl, of Cornell, Mich., recently enjoyed a "recess" from aerial warfare at an air service command rest home—a remodeled English manor house where America's airmen who provide aerial cover for the advancing Allied armies in France may relax between missions.

Here, Sgt. Dahl put on sports clothes and lounged in the restful atmosphere of an old country home complete with butler, tea in bed, and every type of recreational facility. American atmosphere, and all the touches of "home" are provided by the American Red Cross, co-partners with the Air Service Command in the operation of the rest home. After 7 days he went back to his combat station ready to play his part once again in the air battle supporting the Allied march across the continent.

Sgt. Alfred L. Dahl has com-

pleted 15 missions over Nazi-dominated Europe. Before entering the army he was employed as a farmer by his father.

Seaman 1/c Marshall Paul Dupuis, who is with the United States Navy, stationed somewhere in the south Pacific, has been advanced to the rank of Petty Officer 3/c, his wife, who lives here on North Nineteenth street, was advised this week. Petty Officer Dupuis is the son of Mr. and Mrs. U. H. Dupuis, Old State Road.

Frost-bitten feet and the loss of a tooth were the only injuries suffered by Warrant Officer Tom Rushton, son of Attorney H. J. Rushton of Escanaba, in the battle of the Belgian bulge, according to word received by the army officer's wife Kathleen. W. O. Rushton went overseas with the 106th infantry division from Camp Atterbury, and with his unit participated in the breakthrough battle which is now history. They went into the line Dec. 11, just a few days before the Germans started their counter-offensive, and the gallant 106th won acclaim in news dispatches. In his letter to his wife, Rushton said that he was safe and more comfortable now, indicating he was some distance from the front line. Mrs. Rushton, the former Kathleen McNamara, and two children, are making their home at Manistique. Their young son was born shortly before the father left to go overseas.

G-I VETERANS SERVICE What is your problem? We will answer questions free for members of the Armed Forces and Veterans on benefits pertaining to the GI Bill and all other legislation. Write your question clearly sign name and address, and Mail This Coupon and a 3-cent stamp to the Veterans Editor, Escanaba Daily Press Service Bureau, 1217 13th St., N. W., Washington 5, D. C., for a personal reply. Don't telephone; write as directed:

Q. Does a dishonorable discharged veteran lose all rights of citizenship?

A. No.

Q. A friend tells me that a wounded man who is hospitalized for treatment is entitled to a right to apply for a discharge. Is this true?

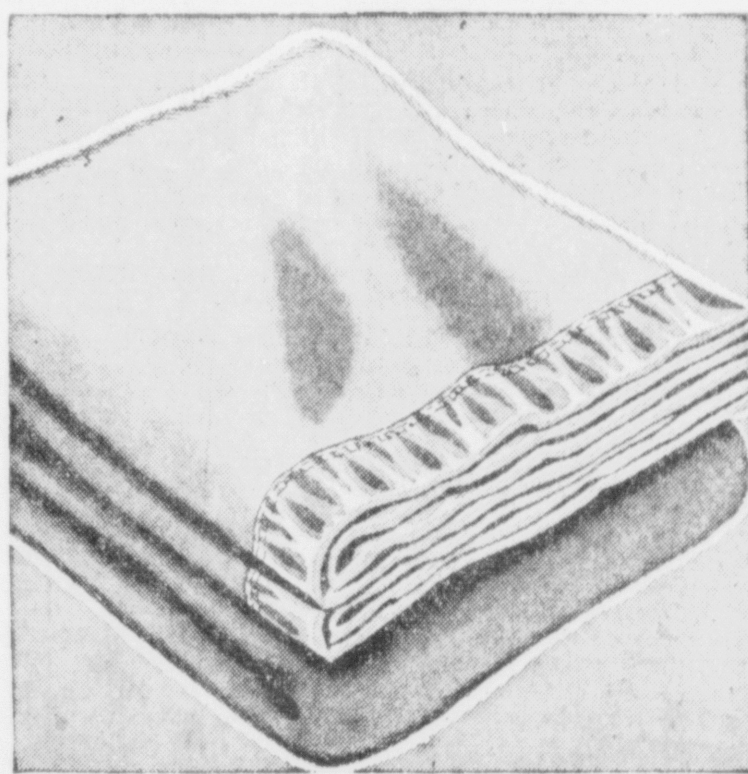
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### Grand Marais

#### Mrs. Fuller Dies

Grand Marais.—Word was received here Saturday of the death in Pentwater of Mrs. Clifford Fuller, the former Florence Masse, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John B. Masse. Her death was the result of a heart attack following an appendectomy. She is survived by her husband and 3 children.

Mrs. Parmar Masse and daughter, Parmar, have returned from Detroit where they spent the past month visiting Mrs. Masse's daughters, Gloria, and Mrs. James Thornton, Jr.

Mr. and Mrs. Isadore Roberts and son, Arthur, spent Sunday in Newberry.

Mrs. Theodore Senecal and Miss Gladys Lundquist have gone to Ypsilanti where they will be employed.

William LaCombe who is employed in Jackson is visiting his family here this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard McLeod who spent the week end here visiting Mrs. McLeod's mother, Mrs. Sarah Senecal, returned to Centerville Monday.

Pvt. Delphine Senecal, Woman's Marine Corps, accompanied them as far as St. Ignace on her return to San Diego, Calif. Pvt. Senecal spent a week's furlough here with her mother.

Mr. and Mrs. Ora Endress visited friends in Newberry Sunday. Vernon Olli who has received a medical discharge from the Navy returned home last week. Vernon is the son of Mrs. Ida Olli.

Mrs. Robert Pell and daughter, Dianne have gone to Newberry to visit at the home of Mrs. Pell's sister, Mrs. William Campbell.

#### Ralph Endress Dead

Ora Endress has received word of the death in Detroit Friday of his brother, Ralph Endress. Mr. and Mrs. Endress will attend the burial services which will be held in the Soo, Tuesday.

Bob Lahio, grandson of Mrs. John Erickson and James MacDonald son of Mr. and Mrs. James MacDonald Sr., will go to Detroit Saturday to enlist in the Merchant Marines. Both boys are high school seniors.

Mr. and Mrs. Irving Hill are transacting business in Marquette this week.

The following candidates have filed their petitions with the township clerk for township offices: Supervisors, James H. Thompson, Dr. C. J. Powers, Arthur Gouville.

Clerk, John Ylimaki, incumbent James Vaudreuil.

The office of treasurer which is held by Rex Block has no opposition.

Mrs. Hector Barney entertained the bridge club at her home Tuesday evening, honors going to Mrs. Cline Carpenter, high and Mrs. M. Thomas, cut prize.

Schmeltzer-Bleckner Of interest to local residents is the marriage of Francis H. Bleckner, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Bleckner, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bruno Schmeltzer, of Marquette, which took place in Marquette on Saturday, January 6 at St. Peter's Cathedral.

The bride, who was attended by her sister, Frances, was attired in a cadet blue wool suit with a small feather trimmed navy blue hat and her flowers were a corsage of white pompons. Her attendant wore a light blue wool suit and small navy blue felt hat and her flowers were similar to the brides.

Following the ceremony, a wedding breakfast was served in the home of the bride's parents for the immediate family. One hundred guests attended the reception at the bride's home in the evening. The couple spent the past week

in Grand Marais following which the groom returned to Ft. Lauderdale, Fla. where he is stationed with the U. S. Coast Guard. His wife will remain in Marquette for the present where she is employed as bookkeeper at the Gamble store.

Grand Marais relatives attending the ceremony were: Mr. and Mrs. Charles Bleckner, Farmer Masse, CBM and Mrs. Lawrence Teller and daughters, Celina and Mary Ellen and Mrs. Vernon Bleckner and son, Francis.

### Trenary

Trenary.—Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Cauchon have received word here, that their grandson, Sgt. Lawrence Lompra is missing in action in Belgium. Sgt. Lompra is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Ted Lompra of Detroit, former Trenary residents.

Mrs. Lompra was the former Katherine Cauchon, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Cauchon. Visiting at the Frances Finlan home on Sunday were Mrs. Dan Finlan, son Tom and Mrs. Margaret Finlan of Gladstone, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Williams and boys and Mrs. Sarah Williams of Forest Lake, and Mr. and Mrs. Bud Charlebois of Chatham.

Mr. and Mrs. Al Pasanen spent the week end visiting relatives and friends at L'Anse and Herman.

### Nahma

#### At Cedar Falls

Nahma, Mich.—Marjorie E. Hendrickson, 23, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Hendrickson, Nahma, was enrolled recently at the Naval Training School (Yeoman-W) on the Iowa State Teachers College campus, Cedar Falls, Iowa. This member of the Women's Reserve was selected for her special training on the basis of her recruit training aptitude tests and past civilian experience. The course of yeomen study includes shorthand, typing, Naval correspondence, records and forms, and current events. When this WAVE successfully completes her theoretical course she will be sent to other duty stations where after actual experience in a practical Navy job, she will have the opportunity to qualify for a petty officer rate.

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## Recall Petitions Lack Signatures

Pontiac, Mich.—Petitions asking the recall of Commissioner William W. Donaldson in district three were filed with City Clerk Harry A. Maurer Monday afternoon. The petitions were signed by 283 persons, falling short of the required 839 signatures. Only seven of the 25 petitions issued were filed, and will be returned to Cyril N. Miller, who sponsored them, the clerk said.

"The circulator will not be given extra time," Maurer said. "According to the city charter the required number of signatures must be on the petitions when they are filed, 30 days after they are issued."

According to Maurer and City Attorney William A. Ewart, 25 per cent of the qualified voters in the district who voted in the last general election for governor are required to sign the petitions.

Petitions also are in circulation in district six seeking the recall of Commissioner J. H. Patrick Glynn and were issued to Mrs. William Butzke, dated Dec. 28.

Buy and Sell the Classified Way.

## Briefly Told

Old Time Dance.—The regular old time dance will be held this evening at the Recreation Center. Dancing will be from 9 to 12 o'clock with music by Ed Hendrikson and his orchestra.

To File Petitions.—R. W. Gearling, naturalization examiner of Sault Ste. Marie, will be in the court house at Escanaba from 9 to 11:30 a. m. Jan. 31. He will be busy during those hours filling naturalization petitions.

Gas Stove Explodes.—Escanaba firemen were called to the home of Mrs. Walter Sheedlo, 1211 South Thirtieth street, at 1:20 p. m. yesterday where a gas stove had exploded. There was little damage except from smoke.

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### Getting "Hot"?

THE first "break" in the statewide investigation of the recent killing of State Senator Warren G. Hooper, was announced at Lansing on Tuesday, with the arrest of a Detroit underworld character, who is being held for further questioning.

Ever since the body of the Albion state senator, who had confessed, it is said, his part in legislative graft, was found slumped over in his car on a lonely road, it has been contended that he was murdered by paid killers, desperately endeavoring to block the grand jury investigation of grafting in the state legislature. The arrest, on Tuesday, of Abe Rosenberg of Detroit came coincidentally with the announcement that the state prosecutor of the investigation, was seeking the aid of police officials of Chicago, Cleveland and Toledo, in an effort to secure underworld information on the recent Michigan slaying.

The fact that one arrest has been made in Michigan's most sensational murder case in many years, should not be accepted as indicative that the case has been solved—it indicates, rather, that the original theory that Senator Hooper met his death at the hands of paid killers, has not been abandoned.

After a minor dispute over the wording of a legislative resolution, offering a state reward of \$25,000 for information leading to the arrest and conviction of the unknown slayer, that reward was legalized yesterday and should lend force to the police effort to solve the crime.

If men will commit murder for a price, their under-world associates will, also, "squel" for a price. In that fact lies the present hope that the killers of Senator Hooper may be brought to justice.

### Heavy Cancer Toll

ERIC A. JOHNSTON, energetic head of the United States Chamber of Commerce, has accepted the chairmanship of the American Cancer Society and has launched a national campaign to make the public more fully aware of the dangers of cancer. Quite likely, the society plans to do the same kind of a job that has been done by another organization in waging the long war against tuberculosis.

Statistics reveal that while World War II was killing 121,363 Americans, cancer killed 495,000 persons in this country. It is estimated that at the present time 600,000 Americans are suffering from this dreaded disease, and that the annual cancer death rate is 165,000. One in every eight Americans dies from this particular disease.

Although cancer is one of the most deadly of ailments, the public contributed only \$750,000 last year for the fight against it, while at the same time various campaigns, aimed at diseases which cause far fewer deaths, raised more than \$10,000,000 apiece.

Medical experts claim that without the discovery of a single new cancer fact, 30 to 50 per cent of potential cancer victims can be saved. More adequate detection clinics, educational programs and research activities are needed to more successfully combat this disease, and the American Cancer Society will launch next April a drive to raise at least \$5,000,000 to finance this expanded work. It goes without saying that it will be money well spent.

### Interest Grows

PERTH and Winnipeg in Canada are added to the growing list of cities displaying keen interest in Escanaba's central steam heating utility, the latest inquiries received here coming as a result of considerable publicity given by the New York Times to our plans for expansion of this service.

It is quite odd that so much interest is being shown, for after all central heating is not in any way a modern development. The first district heating system was installed in Lockport, N. Y., in the early seventies, and a few years later it was extended to New York City where the New York Steam Corporation, the largest in the country, is still operating and serving a large portion of the Manhattan business and financial district.

Incidentally, central heating is now being supplied to about 300 communities in the United States, and the surprising feature is that in all but about sixty the service is supplied by privately-owned utilities. Among the municipally-owned utilities the plant at Virginia, Minn., has received the most publicity because it has reached the greatest point in the saturation of its market, since more than 2300 homes and business buildings in that iron mining city of 12,000 population are now heated by the community furnace.

Postwar expansion of heating mains by both privately and municipally owned utilities promises to furnish many jobs for war veterans and other unemployed. It is a development that cannot be killed, because the public demand for space heating, without the nuisance of smoke, dirt, ash

disposal and individual furnace tending, will increase after this war is over.

### They're a Problem

RESIDENTS of Manistique and other communities in the eastern part of the Upper Peninsula are tied up with the conscientious objectors who are being harbored in a CCC camp at the Seney migratory waterfowl refuge near Germfask.

Apparently, the animosity toward the "Conchie" is not because they feel their consciences will not permit them to bear arms, but rather because they make nuisances of themselves when they come into town on leaves from the camp. At Newberry, the objectors got into trouble in a public place and were ordered to leave. Now, Manistique has been declared out of bounds for them.

Many of the "Conchie" do not seem to appreciate the fair treatment they are receiving from their government in exempting them from military service. Instead of helping to defray the cost of maintaining the CPS camp, some of them have refused to do a fair day's work on the Seney refuge project. Others have deserted camp. They have presented quite a problem, for they have caused more harm than good. Perhaps, some of them should have their heads examined.

### Other Editorial Comments

#### A STATE OPPORTUNITY (St. Paul Dispatch)

Minnesota conservationists differ as to methods and ways and means, but they all agree that this state is overlooking one of its promising opportunities for economic development. This is the opportunity to bring back forest industries as a major contributor to employment and wealth of the people. It is all the more a reproach because Minnesota, once had a great forest industry, allowed it to be despoiled, and has continued to neglect the remaining resources.

Minnesota can never again resume the place it once had in production of lumber. Over several decades this state produced every year more than a billion feet of fine lumber, and at the peak of the industry, attained an annual production of two billion feet. This primitive forest is gone forever, but Minnesota can reestablish the sort of forest that can be the basis for a major group of new industries. For these industries only pulpwood is required and this can be grown, and is already being grown in some quantity, on a commercial basis.

Naturally a good deal has been done for the encouragement of forestry, but still more remains to be done. There must be adequate fire protection, which is absolutely fundamental, the first condition without which nothing else will succeed. There must be workable tax laws, to make possible long term tree culture. There must be adequate timber cutting regulation.

These are only some of the items in such a comprehensive program as Minnesota conservationists should develop. The matters on which they disagree are surely less important than the fundamentals on which everyone can get together.

#### DRINKING OUR BUTTER THESE DAYS (Muskegon Chronicle)

One reason for the increased consumption of milk is millions of men and women working in plants who are drinking it for their lunch and at other times. Far more important is the fact that increased prosperity has made it possible for families to purchase all the milk needed for their children. Milk is the ideal food, especially for children. We can forego the butter without complaint knowing that scarcity is due, to a considerable extent, to the increased consumption of milk.

The Japs have made recordings of our B-29s so the home folks will get used to the sound. They better start taking pictures!



Gracie Allen Says.

Medical statistics show that there are more than 20,000,000 colds in the United States right this minute. Twenty million! That's about 10,000,000 colds for every available piece of sanitary tissue.

It's amazing that with all the progress medical science has made the common cold still has them stumped. Sometimes I believe that Gracie's cures were the most effective after all—rub yourself with goose grease, hang a bag of asafetida around your neck, and a cold wouldn't come near you. Neither would people.

Here in sunny California no one worries about a cold. They just slap you into an oxygen tent, load you with sulfa and penicillin and if you're healthy the climate will pull you through.

### Take My Word For it . . . Frank Colby

#### RANDOM COMMENTS

Telescoping of words is a British habit. It produces pronouncements that, to the average American, have a slovenly sound. The word initiative, for example, is often smothered thus: "in-ISH-uh-tiv." In best American usage, the "a" of initiative is pronounced "ay," exactly as it is in initiate and initiation. I recommend: in-ISH-ee-AY-tiv.

ImPLY and infer are frequently con- imply means "to suggest or hint at." Infer means "to draw a conclusion; to surmise." This simple memory verse will serve as a convenient guide to the correct usage: That "annum" a cat, because of its "per."

## World Events Analyzed

BY MARQUIS CHILDS

En Route to Europe (by Wireless)—While Presidents and Prime Ministers debate the form of the world of tomorrow, the airplane has altered it entirely, and you begin to get a little understanding of that each time you fly from one continent to another.



Childs

But what is novel and exciting to my generation, young men of this war take for granted. That is something for politicians to remember. We are living in an air age now—today—even though most of us in our thinking are back in another era.

It would be but a slight exaggeration to say that Johnny Wagner, of our crew on the Atlantic crossing, was typical of the generation flying and fighting this war. He is tops at his job, and he has good luck which has taken him farther than most. Yet in many respects he is typical.

When Wagner enlisted in the air forces from South Bend, Ind., little more than four years ago, he had never been out of the country; he had scarcely been out of Indiana, for that matter. Today he has well over 2500 hours on his record as a navigator, which means that at a conservative estimate he has flown something like half a million miles.

—ALL OVER THE WORLD—

Not one mile of that has been in combat. Wagner is part of the system of global airways set up by the air transport command. With minor exceptions, he has been literally in every corner of the earth during the course of the war.

The attack at Pearl Harbor found Johnny and his crew and plane in the far Pacific. During January and February of 1942 they flew a number of flights from Java to Australia, evacuating personnel as the Japs closed in on the Netherlands Indies. When their plane had a slight accident in Australia and repair parts proved unavailable, Johnny and the rest of his crew hitched a ride home in a navy flying boat.

He's been on the go almost ever since. He was the navigator in the crew that flew Wendell Willkie and his party around the world, chosen for that assignment by Colonel Kite, pilot of the Willkie's plane. Again Kite requested Wagner, captain now, as navigator for the trip that took Henry Wallace to Siberia and China.

The navigator's desk is just back of the pilot's cockpit. It is a small space. There are many instruments.

Wagner works with complete absorption. He used aeronautical charts that run in series over the route we are covering. He does elaborate computations with various computing devices.

—JUST ROUTINE JOB—  
This is a routine job for him. We are slipping through a long fjord that gives access to one of the army air bases on Greenland. It is a narrow passage for our big plane, between wild, snow-covered mountains.

The long shadows of early afternoon lie over the valleys. We land. We have coffee. We take off again, flying over the Greenland icecap.

Johnny is at work once more. The early arctic night stars shine out. You think how strange it is to be here so far north, where four or five years ago only a few adventurous souls had ever been. Yet for Captain Wagner it is the normal routine. It would be the same into Karachi, into Chungking, into Recife, into Port Darwin or wherever.

For Wagner it's all been compressed into four years, and in that four years some pretty drastic changes have occurred in his own life. He was graduated from the only navigational school then in existence in the United States, established by Pan American Airways in Miami.

Techniques they used then were pretty crude compared with what is in use today. Various radio direction-finding devices have in fact almost done away with the need for a navigator, and the probability is that in the post-war period it will all be automatic. Major James C. Hayes, big, solid pilot of our plane, formerly an American Airlines pilot, says jokingly you can read the New York Stock Exchange quotations on the new devices, and to an untutored layman they look almost complicated enough for that.

You would hardly guess what Captain Wagner's intentions are for the future after the war. He has been in four and a half years. He's thirty-one. He figures he will be in maybe for four years more. So he thinks he will stay in the air force as the best career open to him.

Somehow we must learn the meaning of the new world of the air which is so familiar to the Johnny Wagners who have helped to explore it. It is here, and no amount of wishing will bring back the world of yesterday.

I do not imply, nor should you infer, Radio's corniest cliché. "He said, and I quote," has become epidemic. It is both redundant and unnecessary, since "He said," he stated, he declared," etc., are always followed by a direct quotation. "He said that" is followed by the gist of what was said.

The tiresome redundancy is often carried to laughable extremes, as in the case of the newscaster who actually used it thus: "He said, in these words, and I quote him here . . ." If he had only added "verbatim," it would have been the perfect pleonasm of all time.

Other charming variations recently heard: "As I said, and I quote. Try a loaf of . . . bread, and you'll say, and I quote."

R. G. of Gary, writes: "Every time I hear tiara pronounced 'ta-ra-ra,' I always want to add: 'boom-dee-ay!'"

A tiara is a woman's jeweled, crown-like ornament. First choice: ty-AIR-uh; second choice: tee-AB-ruh.

## The Advantage of Youth---He'll Grow



### Good Morning!

By The Bugler

TEN YEARS—The cigarette situation being what it is, there is no necessity to explain why it would be wise for all smokers to read the following treatise: Ten Ways to Quit Smoking.

The suggestion that a column be written on the subject comes from an inveterate smoker, who observes that if even a few persons are encouraged to quit smoking there will be more cigarettes for him.

Incidentally, if anyone is interested in stopping the vile tobacco habit, he will receive assistance at almost every shop where tobacco is sold. Smokers who have felt the clutches of their desire for nicotine overcoming their will power need only to enter a shop and ask for cigarettes. There the clerk will give their will power a boost with the words, "no cigarettes today."

But to get on with the suggestions for breaking free from the tobacco habit. These suggestions were compiled after considerable study and research in the field of public opinion. The inquiring reporter asked: "How would you quit the tobacco habit?"

CASE NO. 1—The subject was a healthy looking gentleman with tanned cheeks, sparkling eye and general appearance of health. In answer to the question he said: "About four or five years ago I decided to give up cigars. I was smoking 13 or 14 a day and found they were making me feel sick. So I quit."

He was asked how he managed to quit suddenly, without tapering off.

"Will power, my boy, will power," he replied unhesitatingly and strode off with the step of youth and buoyant energy.

The gentleman was Walter Hornstein of Garden.

AND NO. 2—The next prospect was a young lady who, possibly, has consumed more cigarettes than Gen. Patton's Third Army.

"I have never thought much about ways to quit smoking," she said. "I never cared about quitting. About the only time a smoke doesn't taste good is when I have a sore throat and the doctor swabs it with silver nitrate. Then cigarettes taste terrible."

She took a long pull on a modern cigarette and added, "Perhaps that might be the answer for anyone who wanted to quit—just have a sore throat all the time and see your doctor for a silver nitrate treatment."

For obvious reasons the young woman must remain unidentified.

NO. 3 SAID—Although this interview occurred a couple weeks ago, it illustrated another way to keep off the nicotine wagon. The man was clear-eyed and clear-headed. He talked with vigor.

"Smoking takes too much time. The only time I ever smoked was in college when some of the others thought that I was 'slow' because I didn't smoke. To satisfy them more than myself I started smoking cigarettes and then gave it up almost at once when I found how much time I was wasting on a useless habit."

That man was George E. Bean, former Escanaba city manager, who left Jan. 14 to become manager of the city of Pontiac.

### INTO THE PAST

10 Years Ago—1935

Regina Claire Manning, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Manning, who was nine years old on Wednesday, entertained a number of her little friends at a delightful afternoon party at her home, 810 First avenue south.

Bonnie Mae Provo, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Horace Provo, 1201 Tenth avenue south, who was three years old yesterday, was the guest of honor at an afternoon party attended by a small group of her little friends.

Gladstone—As a stimulus to Gladstone's Better Housing program, a model modernized residence building may be offered as an award, according to plans tentatively drafted by the committee in charge of this work in meeting Wednesday evening. Plans contemplate purchase of some structure badly in need of repairs, its removal to a permanent location in the central part of the city where it will be completely remodeled. The plan also contemplates the cooperation of local tradesmen and dealers in the project.

20 Years Ago—1925

The Escanaba Coal and Dock company was formally organized in Chicago on Friday to take over the ownership and operation of what is known locally as the St. Paul coal dock, recently purchased by the Cleveland Cliffs Iron Company.

The officers of the company elected at Chicago on Friday are: William G. Mather, Cleveland, president; Joseph H. Slater, Escanaba, vice president; George N. Harder, Wells, secretary; and C. Heer, Cleveland, treasurer. Members of the board of directors are: Mr. Mather, Mr. Slater, Mr. Harder, C. D. Mason, Cleveland, George C. Craver of Wells and A. D. Carleton of Cleveland. Frank J. Lindenthal of Manistique, who has been attending school at Marquette, has enrolled for a course in commercial training at the Cleveland Commercial College, Escanaba.

25 Years Ago—1920

Fire resulting from the explosion of a gasoline lamp in a pool room in Hermansville yesterday afternoon about 4 o'clock virtually wiped out the business portion of the little village, little but a mass of smoldering ruins marking the "square" of that community last night.

Or if you accost a lady and inquire of her how she refrains from the weed and have her reply, "I keep away from cigarettes by using a long holder, you are in a mood to laugh wildly along with her. Puns can be as habit forming as nicotine."

UNDER THE INFLUENCE—The abstainers from tobacco are losing what might otherwise be a winning fight. At a time like this, when cigarettes are as hard to locate as the guy who gave the Roosevelt dog a plane travel priority, lots of civilians might be discouraged into abstinence.

On the other side of the picture, however, are the millions of cartons of smokes being sent to men overseas. Lots of boys who never smoked before entering the army are now making smoke screens in Germany and the South Pacific.

The soothing habit (so-called) is encouraged by all the agencies which try to give the soldiers what they want. They even go so far as to rig up special smoking gear for the boys who are wounded. One of these was recently pictured. It showed a convalescing doughboy, both arms in casts, holding a thin stick to considerable length to which was attached a cigarette—and a nurse was lighting the fag for him.

Which brings us to the conclusion that even if you break both arms or have yourself confined in a vest for controlling violent cases—you can still inhale those irritating tars and resins.

—Clint Dunathan.

### The Lyons Den

By Leonard Lyons

WASHINGTON: Sergeant Marion Hargrove attended the 5 P. M. reception at the White House. Mrs. Hargrove was unable to make the trip to the capital because of the imminent arrival of her first baby. "If I went," she said, "I'd get so excited that I'd probably start giving birth right there in the White House." . . . Maxwell Anderson, the playwright, started to visualize the dramatic possibilities of such an event. "You should go," he urged Mrs. Hargrove, "and it would be wonderful if your baby were born there. Who knows—but he might be the only person to be born in the White House and wind up in a log cabin."

GEORGE JESSEL escorted Mrs. Roosevelt to the dais at the Thous- and Club Dinner. It was the first time Jessel was seen out with a girl his own age. . . . Jessel, who owns a series of toupees, wore a gray-streaked one. The fashion- experts noticed that Jessel's color- scheme was perfect: He wore striped trousers and toupee to match. . . . Jimmy Byrnes and Robert E. Sherwood are going abroad with the President. . . . Ben Cohen finally has resigned as counsel to Jimmy Byrnes, and his resignation has been accepted. Cohen, however, is continuing at this post without any compensation, working in an advisory capacity.

SIDNEY HILLMAN is returning to London for the World Labor Conference. R. J. Thomas already is there. . . . Maury Maverick, who visited France at the same time as Fred Crawford, ex- president of the Natl. Assn. of Manufacturers, and who denounced Crawford for his conclusions about France and Collabora- tionism, has agreed to debate the issue with Crawford Feb. 1, over a radio forum. . . . Ed Pauley, Treasurer of the Democratic National Committee, may become Asst. Sec- retary of the Navy. . . . Harold Young, aide to ex-Vice-President Wallace, was observed yesterday ostentatiously surveying the De- partment of Commerce building.

THE U. S. SUPREME COURT convened officially in the White House on Saturday, with its chief announcing "Oyez, Oyez." Then, after Chief Justice Stone had sworn in the President, Mr. Justice Black was sent back into the room alone, sat down, arose and that closed the official session of the court. . . . Dr. H. H. Kung is in a Maryland hospital. . . . Paul Porter, the new chairman of the Federal Communications Commission, made a speech before the FCC Bar Association, of which he was once an official. Porter told the radio lawyers: "In these times, what broadcaster wouldn't trade his lawyer for a piece of second-hand equipment?"

ORSON WELLES attended the inaugural with his Washington twin, Kentucky's Ed Pritchard, who suggested a 12:15 luncheon date. "But the inaugural starts at 11:45," Welles reminded him. Pritchard replied that the inaugu- ral ceremonies would take only 15 minutes. "That can't be," said Welles. "My remarks alone will take longer." . . . For the first time in the history of the State Dept. there will be a department of in- formation public works. Will Clayton will be in charge. Ernest Morris, Republican National Committeeman from Indiana, probably will be named perma- nent secretary of the Rep. Natl. Comm.

JESSEL TOLD the Thousand Club that he had tasted the much-publicized chicken salad served at the White House luncheon. "Never," he stated, "never has so much chicken-salad been indebted to so few chickens." . . . "I have a confession to make," Mrs. Roosevelt replied. "Mrs. Truman and I sat together and had some of that salad. Confidentially, there were no chickens in it at all."

The Winnipeg Grain Exchange was formed in 1908.

## The Washington Merry-Go-Round

BY DREW PEARSON

(Lt. Col. R. S. Allen now on active service)

Washington—Even the enemies who opposed him so bitterly at Chicago now admit that Henry Wallace has grown in stature. He went out of the vice-presi- dency in defeat a bigger man. There was no rancor, no trace of disappointment in anything he did, though by nature Wallace is a sensitive, easily hurt man.

Wallace was at his best when he gave the oath of office to his successor, Harry Truman. There was a ring of sincerity in his voice which electrified those around him, and which made the vice-presidential ceremony almost more im- pressive than that which followed.

And the night before, Henry was at his best when he introduced at the elector's diner, the chief speaker of the evening, Vice President-elect Truman. "You know Harry," he said, "I'm not supposed to leave office until noon tomorrow. But I was talking to the fiscal clerk of the senate today and he said I go off the payroll at midnight. So if I show up for work at the White House tomorrow, I want you to know I'm doing it on the cuff."

A few minutes later, Truman told Wallace, "I've been off the payroll for two days already myself. The boys are talking about taking up a collection to tide me over."

NOTE—Truman resigned his senatorial seat two days before election.

—WHEELER TAKES WALLACE'S OFFICE—

Wallace's office staff was none too happy on inaugural eve. The fact that Montana's Senator Burton K. Wheeler was taking over the vice-presidential office suite poured salt in their wounds.

Though Wallace still had several days to run in office, electricians, telephone men, and furniture movers moved in a week ahead of schedule, virtually jerking the rug out from under his legs. Then the Vice President found painters crawling around his office as he reported to work the last day. He took one long, last look and fled.

Wallace sent all his official papers to the library of congress where many will be sealed for twenty years, including complete reports on his globe-girdling trips. Behind, he left only a battered tube of shaving cream and a shabby hair brush which his secretary, Mary Huss had purchased on Jan. 19, 1941, to make him spruce up, the day before his inaugural four years ago.

Wallace's Washington-wise chauffeur, Tom Hartly, was sorry his boss was leaving though the ex-vice president probably had him working harder than any of his predecessors. Hartly first came to work for Vice President Calvin Coolidge, has since chauffeured Vice Presidents Charlie Dawes, Charlie Curtis, and Roosevelt's first Vice-President, John Nance Garner. None of these ever made him tend a victory garden, but while Henry Wallace was away from Washington, Hartly and Mrs. Wallace faithfully tended the vice-presi- dential garden in the rear of his sister's home, the Swiss legation. Hartly said he sort of enjoyed getting up early and helping with the tomatoes and sweet corn which the vice president had collected from all parts of the world.

BRITISH AID IN PACIFIC—  
Ex-Representative Norris Poulson of California, Republican, returned from London recently and refused to be quoted in the press on what he had learned there about British aid to the U S A against Japan.

Finally, confronted with the details of a conversation in which he had participated, Poulson admitted that he had discussed the Pacific war with two influential members of the British parliament.

"Just what sort of help can we expect from you people once Germany is knocked out?" Poulson asked them.

"Well, we've got an army of over 7,000,000 Indians," one of the two Britons replied. "You can have them."

"But you know perfectly well we cannot rely on them," Poulson said bluntly. "You'll be lucky if they don't fight against you: let alone fight for you against Japan."

The Britisher admitted he, too, was worried about the Indians, but added, "at any rate, there's a large army of Australians and New Zealanders."

"In other words," countered Poulson, "you people here on the island are going to pull out just as soon as you can, leaving to your colonials the responsibility for any aid we get in the Pacific."

"That's about right," was the reply. "We've had five years of war here. That's enough."

Note—Despite congressional concern, some high U. S. navy men are not enthusiastic about either British or Russian help against Japan. They feel U. S. forces can do the job themselves.

When the British wanted to send a naval force to cooperate with the American fleet in the Philippines, Admiral King objected and the President virtually had to over-rule him.

The ol' thin dime does a fat job when added to the infantile paralysis fund.

Speaking of railroad travel—the more you go the more you stop the war effort

Things are running fine on the Silesian frontier—especially the Germans.

Lard goes back on the rationing list. We're for it as long as it will help grease the skids for the Japs and Germans.



## WARD BINTNER LOST IN ACTION

Escanaba Soldier Missing  
In Luxembourg Since  
December 18

Pfc. Ward J. Bintner, 29, has been missing in action in Luxembourg since December 18, according to word received from the war department on Tuesday by his wife, who lives at the home of Pfc. Bintner's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Bintner, 1219 North Eleventh street.

Pfc. Bintner entered service on November 25, 1942 and trained at Fort Riley, Kan., Camp Polk, La., and in the California desert. He was sent overseas in September 1944, to England. From England he entered France through Normandy and moved up to Luxembourg.

### APPOINTED POSTMASTER

Menominee—President Roosevelt today nominated Marcella A. Doyle for postmaster at Menominee, according to a dispatch from the Washington bureau of the Associated Press.

Mrs. Doyle, who is the wife of Thurman B. Doyle of Menominee, became acting postmaster July 1, after the death of Matt F. Bielek. The nomination must be confirmed by the senate before she becomes permanent postmaster, but nominations by the president are usually confirmed.

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**KIWANIS ANNIVERSARY**—C. C. Wiggins of Marquette, lieutenant-governor of Kiwanis clubs of the Upper Peninsula, cut the birthday cake at the Ladies Night program held at the Sherman hotel Monday evening in observance of the 30th anniversary of the founding of Kiwanis International. To the left of Mr. Wiggins, (standing), are Mrs. John J. Bartella, Mr. Bartella and Harry Gruber, and to his right are Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Zerbel.

### Garden

**Back from Foreign Duty**  
Garden—Gerard Bernier S 1/c, arrived here late Saturday night from San Francisco where he disembarked from the battleship on which he has been on continuous duty for over a year in Pacific waters. He was met at the "400" in Escanaba by Frank G. Tebo with whom he spent the night since this was a surprise visit to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Bernier Sr. He has been in service for twenty seven months and was on duty in the Atlantic before this last experience. His brother Ernest is also in naval service. Mrs. Henry Gauthier of Manistiquette, former resident here, has received word from her son Gerard, who was born in Garden, and who was taken prisoner of the Japs at the fall of the Philippines.



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### Courses For War Veterans At Tech

Houghton, Mich.—Taught by the regular college staff and utilizing the regular college facilities terminal courses of a year to two years in length are available at the Michigan College of Mining and Technology for war veterans both men and women. This announcement was made today by the Tech registrar, on the basis of detailed programs submitted by heads of engineering departments.

The terminal courses are in the following subjects and fields—Analytical Chemistry, Assaying, Shops, and Surveying. Others may be established soon.

Men and women enrolled under this program are considered as regular students and can take part in all academic and extra-curricular affairs.

### Safe In Hospital

Iron Mountain. — S/Sgt. Frank W. Peterson, 22, only son of Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph H. Peterson, 1101 West A, is safe in an American hospital in the Russian Ukraine, his parents were informed in a letter dated Jan. 5. He was previously reported missing in action over Germany since Dec. 18.

Sgt. Peterson, in his letter to his parents, told how the B-24 Liberator, on which he was nose gunner, left the 15th Air Force base in Italy for a mission over Germany. The bombs were dropped on the target and shortly afterward the bomber was badly damaged by flak.

Boudreau, visited relatives in Manistiquette Sunday.

Mrs. Oscar Lund and daughters of Cooks spent the week end with Mrs. Joe Hynes, her mother. Mr. and Mrs. John Herie, Mrs. Douglas Bennett, daughter, Sherry, and Johnny Miller were guests at the Purtil home Friday.

Mrs. Elmer Bonifas left Monday to spend a week in Lake Linden with relatives.

Cpl. Henry Melody of the Army came Wednesday to visit his wife the former Helen Bartus and baby at the St. Francis hospital and is now visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Bartus here.

### Briefs

Henry Deloria and son Walter motored to Nahma Sunday to visit the former's sick brother, Noah Deloria, at the home of his son, Antone.

Walter Deloria of Flint arrived here Friday night to spend 30 days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Deloria.

Mr. and Mrs. Vanner Erickson have moved to Thompson while the former works at Manistiquette. Their children are remaining here with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Hynes.

Mrs. Ulysses Maynard and family and her father, Napoleon

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## News From Men In The Service

Pfc. Arnold M. Johnson, 1201 11th Ave., Escanaba, has received a certificate personally signed by his commanding general honoring him for fighting with the Twenty-Ninth Infantry Division from D-Day to St. Lo.

The honor is a personal salute from Maj. Gen. Charles H. Gerhardt to the officers and men who battered their way through flooded areas and the Normandy hedgerows and stormed the key city of St. Lo in a campaign where the taking of every 500 yards was a major battle.

The Army reckons the Normandy fighting as one campaign, which entitles participants to one star on their theater ribbons, but General Gerhardt's certificate recognizes the unusual toughness of the fighting.

The "Blue and Grey" Division has won two unit citations and its members have been awarded 4,629 personal decorations since the outfit stormed the invasion beaches. The 116th Infantry Regiment was cited for its pre-11-hour assault and the 15th Infantry Regiment was cited for being the first unit into St. Lo.

Sgt. Alfred L. Dahl, son of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Dahl, Sr., of Cornwell, has been awarded an oak leaf cluster for accomplishing operational missions over Europe. He has already received an air medal, and the cluster was awarded him on December 7, 1944. Sgt. Dahl flies in a liberator bomber.

Pfc. Earl King, 22 in a letter from France dated Dec. 20 and written to relatives in Escanaba informed them that he was slightly wounded while fighting with the 7th army. He is with a medical detachment. He is the son of Mrs. George Foote of 225 North Nineteenth street, and the husband of the former Ruth King of Klamath Falls, Ore., who with their 13-month-old daughter Karen Ann resides with Mrs. Foote here. Mrs. King and her daughter came to Escanaba last March, and Pfc. King has not seen his daughter since she was seven months old. Pfc. King entered service Feb. 19, 1942, and has been overseas since August of last year. He was born and raised in Escanaba. His training was received at Fort Lewis, Ore., and following maneuvers in Louisiana he received final training at Camp Phillips, Kan., before going overseas.

Pfc. King and F. Bleckner, Coast Guardsman Francis Bleckner, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Bleckner, of Grand Marais, is stationed at Fort Lauderdale, Fla. He returned to the upper peninsula recently on leave for his marriage to Rose Mary Schmeltzer of Marquette, which took place on January 6 in the bride's home city.

Childress Army Air Field, Childress, Tex.—Another large group of graduates left this Central Flying C on board a B-24 Liberator bomber school today to take their places in the "greenhouses" of mighty AAF bombers ranging far and wide over European and Asiatic skies.

Among the young men to win their coveted Christensen silver bombardier wings in this school's first graduation exercises of 1945 was Arthur E. Christensen, son of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Christensen, 221 South Twelfth Street, Escanaba, Michigan.

The newly commissioned officers are the first to complete the extended training course which was stretched from eighteen to twenty-four weeks in November of last year. These weeks were jam-packed with training on the ground and in the air, and the fact that the graduates survived the ordeal qualifies them to use over Axis strongholds the most devastating weapon in the world—the American precision bomber.

With an Air Depot Group of the Fifteenth Air Force Service Command, Italy — For outstanding service in support of combat operations against the enemy, the Meritorious Service unit plaque has been awarded to the officers and enlisted men of a depot repair squadron of this group. The commendation read in part:

"This unit deserves much credit for the efficient manner in which they assisted in the installation of the engineering shops with a minimum of materials and building facilities, and for their persistent efforts in the construction of housing for all personnel from bombed-out buildings."

Among those who have won the right to wear a Meritorious Service wreath on their right sleeves are Sergeant Leland L. Bergeson, Route 1, Ensign, Michigan.

Private Muriel D. Bucholtz, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Brown of Trenary a member of the Women's Army Corps, recently left first WAC Training Center, here, for duty with the Army at Florence, S. C.

Since January 1st the WAC recruiting program has emphasized the enlistment of women possessing specialized skills, including clerical workers, typists, stenographers, tabulating machine operators, radio operators, control tower operators, parachute riggers and cryptographers.

Because of high casualty lists and the return of thousands of sick and wounded soldiers to the United States every month, there is also an urgent continuing need for several thousand medical and surgical technicians in Army hospitals.

WACs are following our armies in vital office and communications jobs in all major theatres over-seas.

Francis Trombly, Aviation Machinist's Mate Second Class, of Rock, Michigan, has returned from a tour of duty in the Pacific, where he was attached to the Navy's Scouting Squadron 57.

His squadron, stationed at the big American base at Noumea, New Caledonia, flew DAUNTLESS dive bombers and had the vital job of conveying Allied merchant ships.

Trombly is the son of Mrs. Frank Trombly of Rock.

Flight Officer Ole E. Norstrom, son of Mr. and Mrs. Peter Norstrom, Gladstone has graduated from the C-47 pilot training school at the 21st Ferrying Group Ferrying Division, Air Transport Command, Palm Springs Army Air Field, according to Major William E. Hinton, acting commanding officer.

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## BROWNOUT' SET FOR FEBRUARY 1

### Will Reduce Lighting In Shops; Street Light Hours Are Cut

In compliance with a recent War Production Board order to reduce lighting and conserve on fuel necessary for its generation, retailers and other business establishments in Escanaba will go on a modified blackout starting Feb. 1, 1945. The order will be to save electricity; and city street lighting will be reduced so far as possible without danger to public safety.

Plans for the "brownout" which will take nation-wide effect the first of next month were made at a meeting of the retail merchants committee of the Chamber of Commerce held yesterday. Besides the committee of which B. V. Sommers, chairman, C. J. Driscoll of the Upper Michigan Power and Light company; A. V. Aronson, acting manager, and Hugo Lillquist, superintendent of the electric department, attended from Escanaba.

**Cut Street Lighting**

Without waiting for the Feb. 1 date, Acting City Manager A. V. Aronson announced that Ludington street lights will be turned off at 10 p. m. each night, instead of 11 p. m., thus saving one additional hour of full lighting. After 10

p. m. there will be but two lights at each intersection, the same as before. This earlier reduced lighting started last night. Lights on side streets also may be reduced in number where it can be done with safety.

Following yesterday's meeting, Chairman Sommers of the retail merchants committee addressed a bulletin to retailers and other business establishments in the city, and enclosed a copy of the WPB order.

"The committee went on record as unanimously favoring compliance with the order until such time as the interpretation may be changed for this area," Sommers said. "The cooperation of all business establishments affected is requested."

The attention of the merchants was directed to the copy of the WPB order, and they were asked to "take steps to reduce the amount of lighting as directed."

"During the period of this modified 'brownout' show window lighting will be eliminated except where necessary for interior illumination, on Friday nights when the stores are open for business as well as all other nights."

**Prohibited Uses**

The WPB order lists the prohibited uses of electricity as follows:

- 1—Outdoor advertising and outdoor promotion lighting.
- 2—Outdoor display lighting, except where necessary for the conduct of the business of outdoor establishments.
- 3—Outdoor decorative and out-

door ornamental lighting.

4—Show window lighting, except where necessary for interior illumination.

5—Marquee lighting in excess of 60 watts for each marquee.

6—White way street lighting in excess of the amount determined by local public authority to be necessary for public safety.

Outdoor sign lighting also is prohibited except for directional or identification signs using not more than 60 watts, for doctors and for hotels, and other public lodging establishments.

In discussion at the meeting it was shown that residents also have a responsibility under the order, and can cooperate in saving electricity by using no more than is necessary in the home.

## Outdoor Hiawathaland

by Vic Powers

### Not Good

The way the active hunter and fisherman tell it, this is practically the bottom of the trough so far as results from time spent in the open are concerned. The rabbit hunter finds the snow too deep for his dogs and himself and the fisherman complains of the lack of results from dangle bait through a hole in the ice.

Those hardy ones who go out for fish do not all return empty handed for Floyd Tucker, up McMillan way, recently speared a 24½ pound pike that measured 47½ inches in length and four smaller ones in Manistique lake. Shanty fishermen near Gladstone also report taking some satisfactory numbers of jumbo perch from Little Bay de Noc.

### Report Cards

Hunters' report cards, which supply records of hunter success or failure during the 1944 seasons and furnish information by which the conservation department is aided in formulating game management policies, should be mailed before February 15.

The cards are a part of the 1944 hunting licenses and require but a very few minutes to fill out and mail. It is a duty of each licensed hunter to make the report, whether successful or not.

With game management moving gradually toward more scientific ground, those in charge that manage and those who shape the policies which direct the handling of game matters have a continuing need for accurate and complete statistical material such as supplied by the report cards. No sportsman who values the privilege of hunting will deny them such cooperation.

### Need Permits

Hunters who have the facilities for keeping their venison are fast

## Escanaba Utilities Earn \$432,257.03 During 1944

Escanaba's four municipal utilities—electricity, gas, water and steam, last year earned revenue for its citizens totaling \$432,257.03, city records reveal. The total, however, is \$14,938.79 below the record city utility revenue year of 1943.

The steam and gas utilities show small revenue increases during 1944, while the revenues of the electric and water utilities decreased.

The decrease in the water utility is the result of a lower water

Utility	1943	1944	Increase or Decrease
Steam	\$22,525.24	\$24,825.20	\$2,299.96
Water	74,793.60	70,086.12	4,707.39
Electric	287,551.56	273,350.44	14,201.12
Gas	62,325.42	63,995.18	1,669.76
Totals	\$447,195.82	\$432,257.03	-\$14,938.79

## Illness Fatal To John Donbiskie

John Donbiskie, 70, died at 10 o'clock Wednesday morning at St. Francis hospital. He had been ill, suffering from heart trouble, for the past month.

Mr. Donbiskie was born in Poland on December 25, 1874. He was employed by John Listle as a woods worker in the Cornell and Watson district. He has no known relatives.

The body was taken to the Alto funeral home for preparation for burial. Services will be held at the funeral home chapel Friday morning at ten o'clock, with Rev. Fr. Alphonse, O. F. M., officiating, and burial will be made in St. Joseph's cemetery.

approaching the time when they must dispose of the remnants of that deer or secure a permit from the conservation department to keep it longer. The hunting laws allow possession of legally killed deer for 60 days following the close of the season. That time is up on January 29. Successful hunters wishing to keep venison longer can obtain a permit on application to the department which will allow the keeping of the venison as long as July 29, an additional six months.

Following the close of the rabbit season, hunters may keep their stored rabbits until March 30.

### Too Many Boys

After reviewing the figures on hunting accidents during the 1944 hunting seasons, the conservation department has let it be known that it is concerned over the high percentage of minors involved in hunting accidents. It has requested enforcement officers to apprehend all minors under 17 years of age hunting unaccompanied by a parent, guardian or someone authorized by them.

Officers will seize and hold firearms and request the parents to call for them.

Persons under 17 years of age may receive a hunting license only on signed application of a parent or guardian. This application states that the parent or guardian will "see that the minor child does not hunt unless accompanied by me or some person (over 17 years old) authorized by me in writing."

The hope is that a strict observance of the statute may decrease the number of hunting accidents occurring with minors.

The steam utility continued to extend its heating service to additional customers in the downtown area, although extensions were restricted because of wartime conditions. The number of customers increased from 34 to 44, and several applications for service are on file. In 1944 a total of 29,661,400 pounds of steam were sold.

### Much Water Consumed

The water utility saw in 1944 one of the peak years for total gallons of water pumped. There were 504,017,500 gallons pumped last year, compared with 461,626,660 gallons in 1943. Principal reason for the increase was the dry summer last year, when in one 24-hour period a total of 2,861,850 gallons were pumped, compared with the one-day maximum of 2,513,550 gallons in 1943.

There were 51 fewer customers last year than the year before, a decline from 3,463 to 3,412.

The water supplied to the city in 1944 came from four deep wells, except that during the dry period last summer some water was also pumped from the bay. The records show the following pumpage: No. 1 well, 138,202,200 gallons; No. 2 well, 135,045,000 gallons; No. 3 well, 103,180,800 gallons; No. 5 well, 103,277,100 gallons; from the bay, 24,312,400 gallons.

Largest revenue earning utility is the electric department. While the city does not produce its own electric power, it purchases it wholesale from the Upper Michigan Power and Light company and distributes it over a municipally-owned system. Last year the city sold 9,001,950 KWH of electricity, compared with 9,732,992 KWH in 1943.

### 3,772 Electric Customers

Last year there were 3,772 residential electric customers in Escanaba, and the average revenue per residential customer was \$31.24. These figures are compared with 1943, when there were 3,868 residential customers and the average per customer was \$30.41. There were slight decreases in the number of commercial and power customers as well, and the average cost per customer increased slightly for commercial users, but under a new power rate was slightly reduced for power consumers.

The gas department continued approximately the same both in the amount of gas sold and in cost to the customers. In 1943 there was a total of 44,850,700 cubic feet of gas sold, compared with 46,164,700 cubic feet in 1944.

The number of residential gas customers increased from 2,020 to 2,059, while the number of commercial users declined from 179 to 176. The average revenue per customer in 1944 increased from \$25.35 to \$25.87, while it declined slightly for commercial users—from \$57.65 in 1943 to \$55.23 last year.

## U. P. School Board Meeting Cancelled

The annual meeting of the U. P. Association of School Board Members and Superintendents, scheduled for Saturday, Feb. 3, at the Northern Michigan College of Education, has been cancelled.

The announcement was made by Dr. H. A. Tape, president of Northern after receiving notification from the chairman of the association, Thomas Robins, Ironwood.

The cancellation was decided upon because of the wartime ban on meetings and conventions, as a means of reducing travel.

Dr. Tape, on Jan. 20, received notification from N. L. Engelhardt, president of the American Association of School Administrators, notifying him that regional conferences of the association would be cancelled.

## Fayette

### Birthday Party

Fayette—Sherry Ranguette, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Ranguette, of Fairport celebrated her sixth birthday Sunday at her home, a large number of little friends enjoying it with her. She received many gifts, and everyone enjoyed games and the delicious lunch which followed.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Farley, Mrs. Myron Farley and daughters Judy and Connie, were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Jacobsen Sunday.

Harry Devet and Bert Farley of Garden motored to Munising Saturday to put up ice for the former's summer fishing activities there.

James Monroe designed a river bridge that was later built in England.

## LYLE UTT, 24, WAR CASUALTY

### Escanaba Soldier Lost In Action Since Dec. 18



LYLE J. UTT

Sgt. Lyle J. Utt, 24, Escanaba, has been reported missing in action in Luxembourg since Dec. 18, according to a war department message received by his wife, the former Marianne McCarthy, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John McCarthy, 322 First avenue north. A graduate of the Escanaba high school, class of 1938, Sergeant Utt joined the armed forces in November, 1942. He received his training at Fort Riley, Kans., and Camp Polk, La., and participated in desert maneuvers in California. He went overseas to England in August, 1944, and shortly afterward joined the fighting in France and Luxembourg. Sergeant Utt was attached to the 9th Armored division.

Sergeant Utt's father, Percy Utt, lives at 517 North Nineteenth street. He has a two-year-old son, Michael Lyle.

Benjamin Franklin at one time operated a printing plant in France.

## Obituary

### JACOB G. MOERSCH

Funeral services for Jacob G. Moersch were held Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the Alto funeral home chapel, Rev. Alun O. Jones of the First Presbyterian church conducting the rites. Burial was made in Lakeview cemetery.

"Goin' Home" and "Rock of Ages" were sung during the service by Mrs. Stanley Ostman and Mrs. Louis Hildebrand, Mrs. P. W. Maynard playing the accompaniment.

Honorary pallbearers, of the I. O. O. F., were John S. Back, Charles Hammar, Henry E. Hathaway, Magnus Logan, Kenneth Jensen and Harold Nygaard. The active pallbearers were James G. Degnan, Oscar Vannberg, Erwin F. Zuehlke, Mike Walsh, Herman Roberge and Andrew Magnusson.

Those from out-of-town at the funeral were George Moersch, of State College, Pa.; Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Yost, of Chadron, Neb.; Mrs. Wm. Cox and Mrs. Wm. Sutter, Chicago; Mr. and Mrs. Peter DeMars, Green Bay; Mr. and

Mrs. Andrew Magnusson, Ensign; Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Sundstrom; Mr. and Mrs. Archie Stratton and Mrs. John Stratton, Stonington.

### MRS. SARAH N. HARVEY

Funeral services for Mrs. Sarah N. Harvey, pioneer Escanaba resident who died Tuesday, will be held at 2 o'clock Friday afternoon at the Alto funeral home, with Rev. Otto Steen of the First Methodist church officiating. Burial will be in Lakeview cemetery. The body will be in state at the funeral home this afternoon.

Bertrand Russell, English philosopher, mathematician and sociologist, belongs to one of the oldest families of England.

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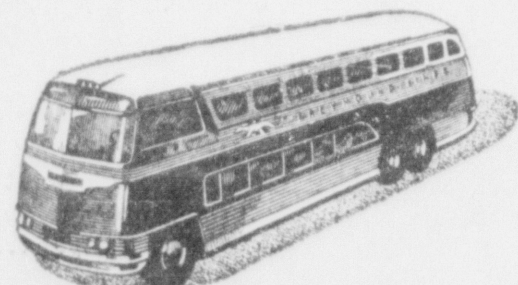
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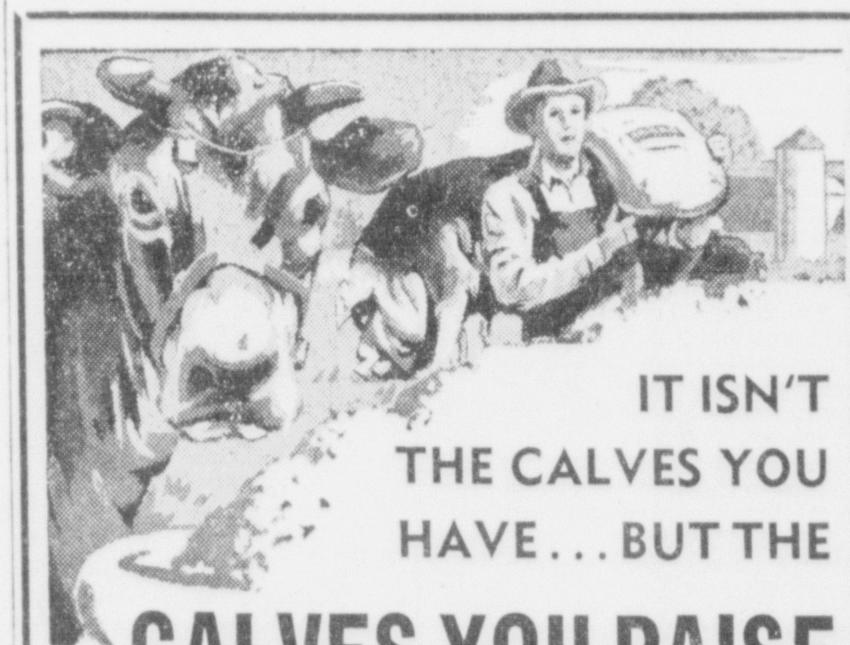
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## Newberry

Newberry—Rev. and Mrs. Brunger are the parents of a baby boy, born Monday, Jan. 23 at the Newberry Clinic.

Miss Ruth Koshi arrived home Monday to visit with her relatives and friends.

Gus Swanson left Tuesday for Ann Arbor, Dr. E. H. Campbell, who underwent an operation at the University hospital three weeks ago, will return with him.

## Rahn Services

Funeral services for Ila Rahn were held from the home at 2:00 Monday afternoon and from the Trinity English church at 2:30 o'clock, Rev. William Shilling officiating. Mrs. Elmer Lemke, Mrs. Ensign, Mrs. Shilling sang a favorite hymn. The church was more than filled by her relatives and many friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Abendroth left Tuesday for Rhinelander, Wis. after attending the funeral of Mrs. Abendroth's sister, Mrs. Lylal Rahn. They were accompanied by their niece, Betty, who will make her home with them.

Mr. and Mrs. Roth left for Rhinelander, Wis., Monday after attending the funeral of Mrs. Roth's sister, Mrs. Lylal Rahn. Mrs. Ellen Palmer entertained her club Tuesday evening, the occasion being her birthday. The club presented her with a gift. Games were played and lunch was served at the close of the evening.

Radio production in 1944 rose to 1300 per cent over the industry's 1940 output. Most of this production consisted of vitally needed communications equipment for the armed forces.



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S 1/c Louis Pfc. Robert S 2/c Keith

Shown above are the pictures of five Pangborn brothers, sons of Mr. and Mrs. Claude Pangborn of 428 East Choccolay street, Munising, and their grandson, Keith Dunklee, and son-in-law, Robert Benagh.

The oldest of the boys is T/Sgt. Wayne Pangborn, who entered service on Jan. 27, 1942, while attending Northern State Teachers college, where he acted as coach of the freshman basketball team. He received his basic training at Denver, Colo., and went overseas in August, 1944, and is now stationed at a base camp in Newfoundland. His wife, the former Bertha Hill, of Marquette and son reside at the home of her parents.

S 1/c Clyde Pangborn joined the Coast Guard on March 25, 1942, and was formerly employed by Taylors cleaners. He attended school for two years, training to serve on a weather ship and went overseas in January, 1945. His wife, the former Marie Olson, resides with her parents in Pontiac.

Pvt. 1/s Donlin Pangborn was inducted into the army on Jan. 25, 1943, while attending Northern State Teachers college. He was sent to Haverford college in Pennsylvania, graduating with the first class of army-schooled meteorologists. At the present time, Donlin is stationed in Alexandria, La., at a U. S. weather base.

MOMM 1/c Erwin Pangborn entered service in October, 1942, and had his schooling at Navy Pier, Chicago. After graduation from his naval schooling he left for overseas duty in April, 1944, and took part in the Normandy invasion while serving on a sub chaser. Prior to entering service he was employed in a defense plant in Detroit.

S 1/c Louis Pangborn entered navy service on April 10, 1944, had his boot training at Great Lakes and received advanced training at Norman, Okla. He went overseas in October of 1944.

He is well known for his basketball prowess, having played high school ball as well as independent ball before entering service. Prior to entering service he was employed by the Atlas Plywood company and is married to the former Eileen Reid of Cooks, who with their son Keith reside in Munising.

Pfc. Robert Benagh, son-in-law of the Pangborns, entered service on Sept. 27, 1943, and is now assigned to Headquarters Motor Pool at Fort McClellan, Ala. He is married to the former Marcia Dunklee, and was formerly employed in defense work in Lower Michigan. His mother, Mrs. Jane Benagh, is one of Munising's oldest pioneers.

S 2/c Keith Dunklee, grandson of the Pangborns and son of Mrs. Marcia Benagh, joined the navy in October of 1944 and received his boot training at Farragut, Idaho. After recently spending his boot leave here he returned to Hawthorne, Nevada, to be assigned to the Naval Communications depot.

### MORRIS MEYER WOUNDED

Iron River—Morris Meyer, pfc. of Mr. and Mrs. Otto Meyer of Iron River, was wounded seriously in the stomach on November 11 while fighting with the infantry of the 91st division in Italy, and has arrived in the States for hospitalization.

The wound was his second received in the Italian campaign. He was awarded the Purple Heart shortly after his first combat injury.

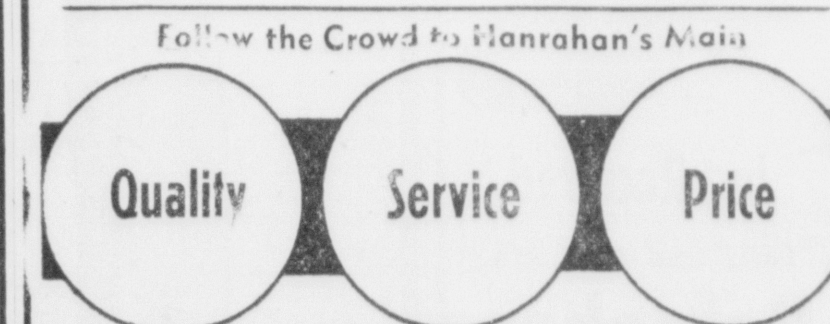
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## News From Men In The Service

Second Lt. Glenn G. Hamilton of Rapid River, a C-47 combat pilot, was one of the select Troop Carrier combat crew members chosen for the all-important job of flying resupply items of food and ammunition to the trapped American First Army units in the Bastogne area in Belgium.

The operation was described by Air Force experts as the greatest supply mission ever organized in the European Theater of Operations. Over 800 C-47's were used in the four day operation and the crews flew in extremely bad weather most of the time.

The American doughboys were cut off and completely encircled by the German armored spearheads that von Rundstedt had sent crashing into the American First Army lines shortly before Christmas. Their only means of defense was the ammunition, medical supplies, and K-rations that the Troop Carrier C-47's delivered by parachute during the trying days before American tanks broke through and gave relief to the entrapped Yanks.

The flyer had previously taken part in the Airborne invasions of the Cherbourg Peninsula and German occupied Holland. He was awarded the Air Medal and first Oak Leaf Cluster for these operations.

Hamilton's Troop Carrier Group is commanded by Lt. Col. Ben A. Garland of Waco, Texas. This unit is part of the vast U. S. Troop Carrier Forces under the command of Maj. Gen. Paul L. Williams, which is the Air Forces component of Lt. Gen. Lewis H. Brereton's First Allied Airborne Army.

Lt. Lloyd Jensen left yesterday morning for Camp Fannin, Tex., following a leave spent here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jens Jensen, 1014 North Eighteenth street.



Lt. Jensen Cpl. DeGrand

Pfc. Leo DeGrand, son of Mr. and Mrs. John E. DeGrand, 1927 Seventh avenue south, has been promoted to the rank of corporal. Cpl. DeGrand has been overseas since November, 1944, and is serving with the army air force ground crew in India.

Three sons of Mrs. Rose Groleau of Milwaukee, former resident of Escanaba, are now in the armed forces. They are Elmer Groleau, who has been in the Merchant Marine for the past year and a half; Pfc. Edward Groleau, who was wounded in action twice and is now in limited service in Italy; and A/S Robert Groleau, who is in boot training at the Great Lakes Naval Training Station, after entering the service on December 5.

Mrs. Pearl Hallfrisch, 804 Ludington street, has received official notice of the award of a bronze star medal to her son, T/S George F. Hallfrisch, who is serving overseas with the 378th infantry.

The citation, a copy of which has been received by Mrs. Hallfrisch, reads as follows: "When rifle replacements were urgently needed in an infantry company about to launch an assault on the enemy, Technician Fifth Grade George F. Hallfrisch volunteered without hesitation to transfer from his normal duty to that of rifleman."

"Technician Fifth Grade Hallfrisch's strong initiative on this critical occasion reflects distinction upon himself, and is in keeping with the high traditions of the military service."

T/S Hallfrisch left Escanaba in 1943 to join the army, and has been overseas since August, 1944.

Technical Sergeant Herbert J. Menard, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jeffrey Menard, Sr., of Escanaba, has been awarded the bronze star medal for meritorious service, his parents have been advised.

The citation reads as follows:

"Award of the bronze star medal to Herbert J. Menard, Technical Sergeant, Ordnance Department (Anti-Aircraft) for meritorious service during the period, 1 October, 1943 to 1 May 1944, in Italy."

"Sergeant Menard was assigned to the duties of maintaining and servicing fire control equipment. This entailed long hours of close supervision under extremely adverse conditions. By his initiative, constant ingenuity and faithful devotion to duty, Sergeant Men-

ard proved of inestimable value in keeping the anti-aircraft artillery fire control equipment serviced by his organization in first class condition."

Sergeant Menard entered military service from Escanaba.

Pvt. Vincent Trotter of Trenary son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Trotter, is now stationed at Camp Blanding, Fla.

The Chinese language in the Peking dialect contains only 400 sounds, compared to uncounted thousands in the English language.

## Perkins

Perkins, Mich.—Mr. and Mrs. Waldo Wick spent Saturday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Milton Embs in Wells.

Ted Geatz of Gladstone and Art Hansen of Carney, dairy inspectors, spent four days here last week.

Mrs. Dan LeGault is spending the week visiting with relatives in Gwin.

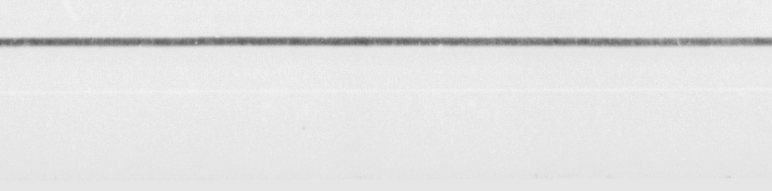
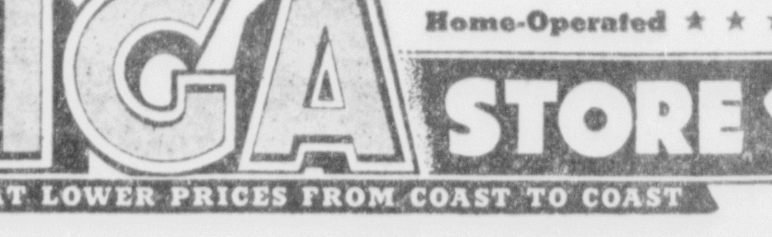
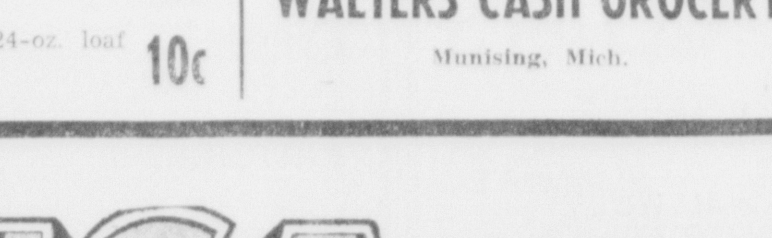
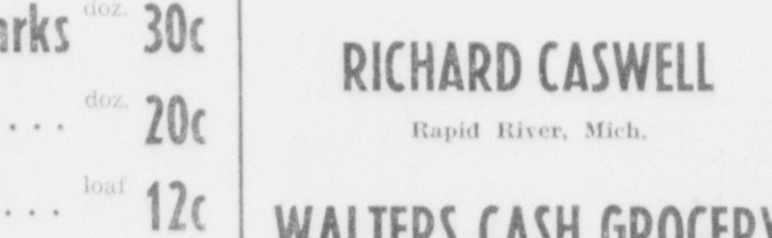
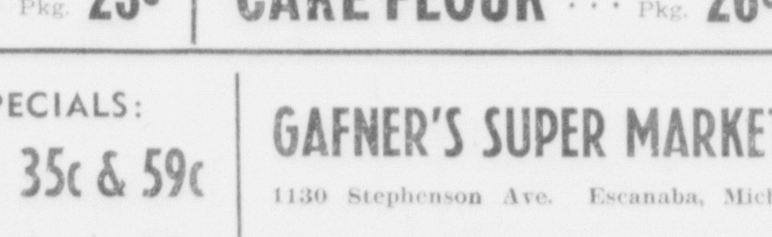
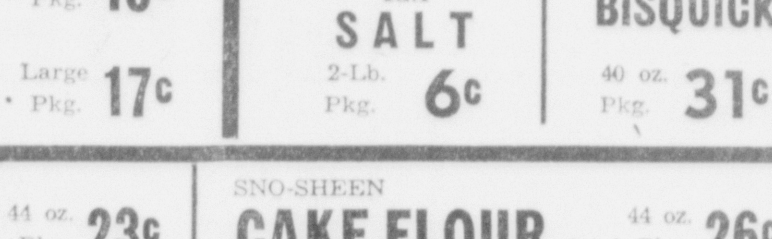
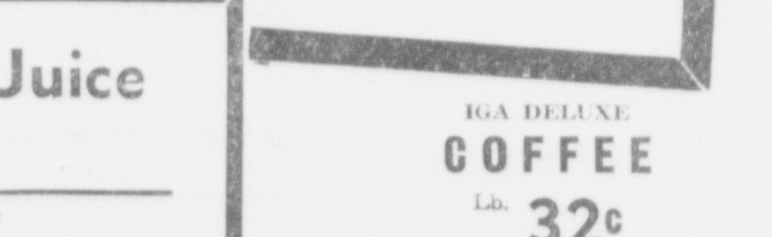
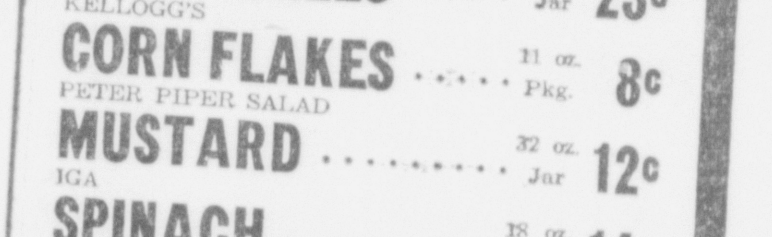
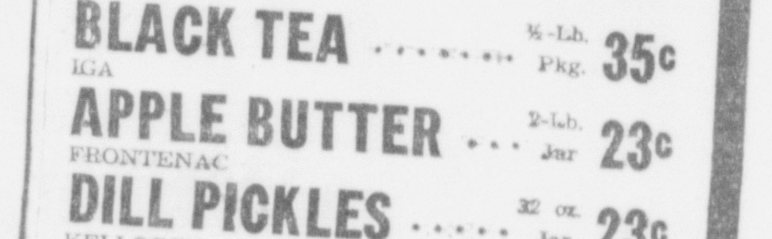
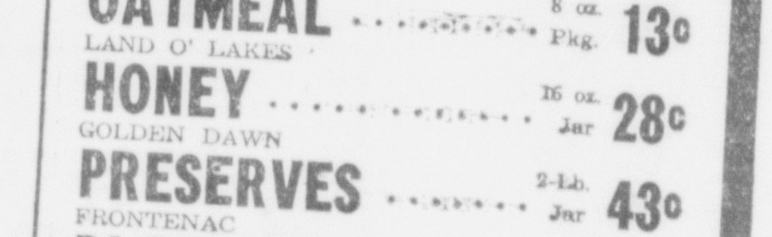
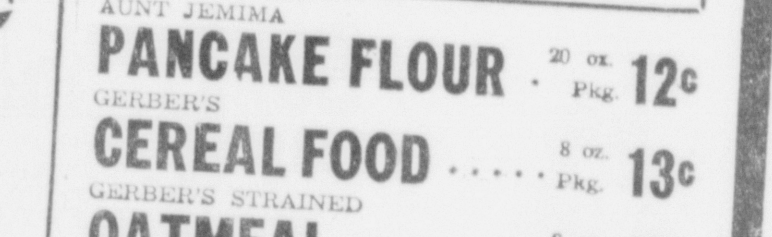
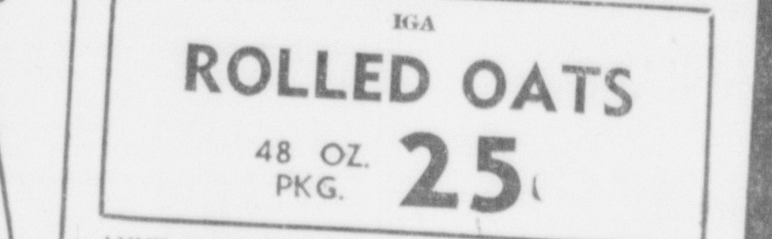
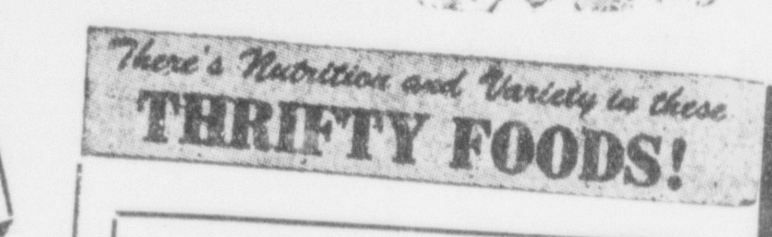
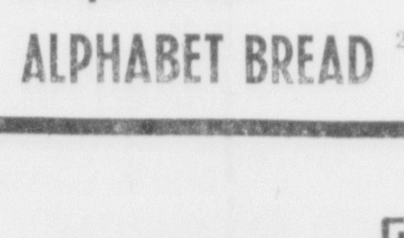
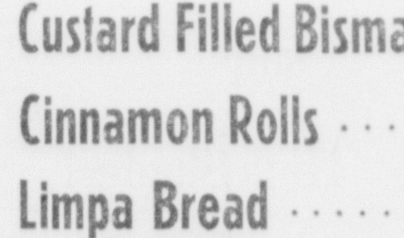
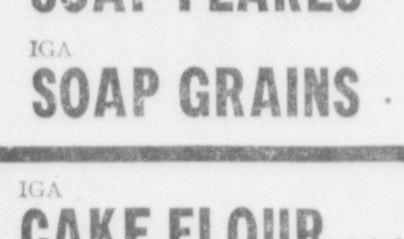
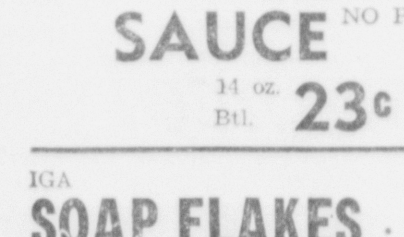
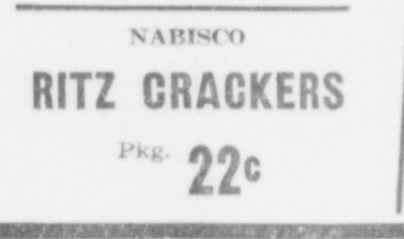
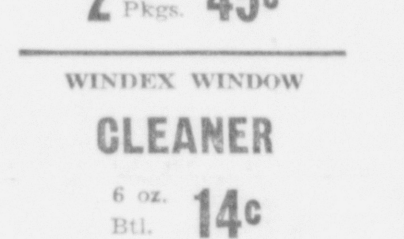
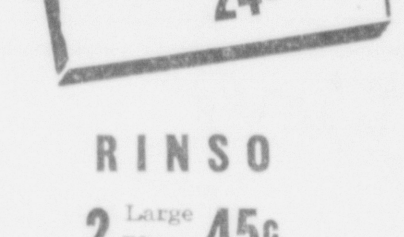
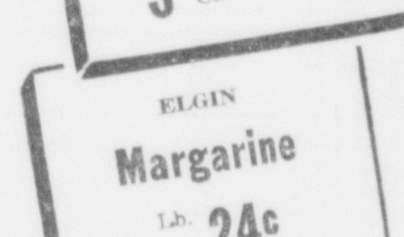
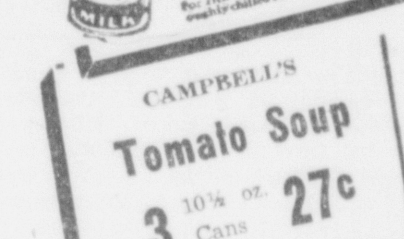
Mr. and Mrs. Alger Strom of Gladstone were dinner guests

Sunday at the William Gudwahr home.

Mr. and Mrs. Gus Klien, daughter, Ann, and Mrs. Floyd Fuhrman, spent Sunday at the Valero Cahrino home in Iron Mountain.

Mr. and Mrs. Romeo Beauchamp of Escanaba, Mr. and Mrs. Leo Godin and daughter, Rose Ann, of Gladstone, and Mr. and Mrs. N. J. Sharkey were Sunday dinner guests at the Joseph Beauchamp home.

The Royal Neighbors will hold their next meeting Thursday, February 1, at the home of Mrs. Charles Wick.



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## SOCIETY

Household Fats  
Urgently Needed

Increased tempo of fighting on both the European and Pacific battle fronts has been a sharp reminder to all meat dealers and all housewives of the urgent need for saving and turning in all used household fats, E. O. Pollock, Midwest Regional Director for the Office of Supply, War Food Administration, said today.

The volume of used household fats salvaged is showing a marked increase from the low of late 1944, Pollock stated. But the more firing our military forces do, the greater is the need. Used fats are the source for glycerine necessary to the manufacture of explosives, and for a long list of other products needed in fighting the war.

Current government estimates indicate the 1945 supply of fats and oils will be 1,300 million pounds less than the 11,200 mil-

lion pounds available in 1944. This is due largely to a reduction in some oil bearing crops, and hog slaughter. Before the war America imported approximately 2,000 million pounds of fats and oils from the south Pacific area annually, but this source of supply is not likely to be available again for some time.

One important source for filling the deficit is the homemaker's kitchen, Pollock said, estimating that more than 500 million pounds of kitchen fats are poured down the sink annually. Fat salvage operations reclaimed 180 million pounds last year, but more than twice this quantity could be reclaimed.

When shampooing hair at home add borax to the water to soften it.

Try to avoid running lamp cords under your rugs. They wear ridges into the fabric.

Washington P-T-A  
Plans Card Party

The Washington Parent-Teacher association is sponsoring a card party Tuesday evening, January 30, beginning at 8 o'clock, at the school. Players at each table will select their own game. Reservations are in charge of Mrs. William McCarthy, telephone 1121-M and Mrs. John Seidl, 1532. The public is cordially invited to attend.

## Church Events

**Ambassadors Meeting**  
The monthly meeting of the Calvary Ambassadors will be held this evening, beginning at 8 o'clock, at the church. The annual business session will be included in the meeting. All members are urged to attend.

Son In England  
Sends Greeting

Mrs. M. E. Vandenberg, of 1307 First Avenue South whose birthday anniversary was Wednesday, January 24, had a happy surprise in the form of a cablegram of greeting from her son, Sgt. George Vandenberg, Sgt. Vandenberg, at present, is stationed somewhere in England.

## POINTS ON RABBITS

If you can get rabbit it is a good way to stretch your meat points. Young rabbits can be broiled or fried. Older rabbits need longer cooking and can be used in fricassees, stews and casserole dishes.

**RELIEVE  
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**FOR DADDY**—In a photograph taken at Christmas time for their father, MM 2/c Donald Maynard, of the Seabees, who arrived Saturday in Norfolk, after 14 months of foreign duty, and who has not yet seen his younger son, are pictured Raymond, the baby, and Carl, who is seven. Mrs. Maynard and the children live in Nahma at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leo Cousineau. The family formerly lived in Gary, Ind., where Mr. Maynard worked for the Elgin, Joliet and Eastern Railroad before entering the service.

## Today's Recipes

A request was received yesterday for a recipe for old-fashioned molasses cake. Will you look through your collection and if you have this, call the Daily Press, 693, or send it in to the recipe department?

## Births

Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Roberts of 307 North Twelfth street, are the parents of a son, born Tuesday, Jan. 23, at St. Francis hospital.

## Personal News

Earl Hakes has returned to South Bend, Ind., where he is employed in defense work, following a vacation visit in Escanaba, Bark River, Milwaukee, Chicago and Orleans, Ind.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Young and Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Thompson and families of Marquette were guests recently at the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. N. Bradford, 609 South 15th street.

Mrs. Claude Preston of Wells left yesterday morning for Long Beach, N. Y., to visit with her husband, Coxswain Preston, U. S. Navy. Coxswain Preston returned to New York last Monday after a 30-day leave. He has been overseas 29 months. He participated in the invasion of France on D-Day and was wounded twice.

Mrs. Lloyd Magnuson, who has been with her husband, Yeoman 3/c Lloyd Magnuson, U. S. Navy, in San Francisco, has arrived here for a few days visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Magnuson, 214 Stephenson avenue, before going on to her home in New York. Yeoman Magnuson is now in foreign service.

Staff Sgt. Russell Robitaille arrived Tuesday night from St. Petersburg, Fla., where he was in the convalescent hospital, to spend a 13-day furlough at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Emil Robitaille, 213 Stephenson avenue.

Robert Curran of the merchant marine is spending a 30-day leave at the home of his mother, Mrs. Mary Curran, 219 North Twelfth street. He came to Escanaba from New York following three months sea duty which took him to France, Italy and Egypt.

Adelore Boudreau, merchant marine, now on leave at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Adelore Beauchamp, Sr., 818 Second avenue south, is spending several days in Chicago.

Mrs. Ray Emrich, 615 Ogden avenue, is leaving this morning for a visit with relatives and friends in Cleveland, Ohio.

Gerald H. Carlton arrived last night from Detroit for a visit with his parents, Dr. and Mrs. A. J. Carlton, 502 South Seventh street. Isaac Bonifas and son, Bill, of Lake Linden, are spending several days in Escanaba, prior to Bill leaving to join the armed forces.

Miss Velma Linden, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Otto Linden of Manistique, who had been visiting here for several days, left yesterday morning for Menominee.

Miss Molina Beauchamp, who has been visiting relatives in Escanaba, left yesterday morning to return to Mexico City, Mexico.

William Lord of the merchant marine, who has been visiting at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Lord, 302 North 18th street, went to Menominee yesterday.

Sgt. R. W. Smith arrived Tuesday morning from Lakeland, Fla., to spend a furlough at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Smith, Sr., 605 South Ninth street.

John Nelson of Milwaukee was in Escanaba on business yesterday. Mr. and Mrs. H. Romagnoli of Iron Mountain left yesterday after

spending several days visiting in Escanaba.

Miss Helen Noyes of Marquette is spending several days in this city on business.

WAC Cpl. Mary Ellen Sturdy left yesterday to return to Wright Field, Dayton, Ohio, following a furlough spent at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Sturdy, Gladstone, Rout One.

Lt. James Shomin of the merchant marine is expected to arrive within the next few days from New York to spend a 30-day leave at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Shomin, 1515 Stephenson avenue. He recently returned from sea duty which took him to France and Scotland.

Mrs. Mildred Ranguette and the Misses Alice Kniskern, Jeanne McClinchy and Marion Pfeifer; Sam Lind, Victor Wolfe, Harold Thomas, Bernard Wils, Richard Michau, Royce Gustafson, Jerry Lafontaine and James Tweedy, members of the senior class of the Rapid River school, spent yesterday in Escanaba.

S. H. Epstein of Chicago is spending several days in Escanaba on business.

Jack Morrow of Libertyville, Ill., left Escanaba last night to continue his lecture tour.

Mrs. Carrie Seymour, 425 South Ninth street, spent last weekend with relatives in Schaffer.

Percy Weinberg, Terrace Apartments, returned Tuesday from a business trip to Houghton.

Tony Flynn will arrive tomorrow night from Milwaukee where he attends Marquette university

## Social - Club

## Immanuel Aid Today

A regular meeting of the Ladies' Aid society of Immanuel Lutheran church will be held in the church parlors, this afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. Mrs. Victor Peterson, Mrs. Gust Johnson and Mrs. Art Carlson will be readers of the program, the topic of which is "Give Me a Light." Hostesses are Mrs. Casper Olson, Mrs. A. M. Arntzen and Mrs. Richard Arnsen. Members and friends are cordially invited.

## Bethany Chapel Aid

The Ladies' Aid of Bethany Lutheran chapel at North Escanaba will meet at 8 o'clock this afternoon, with Mrs. Olof Anderson, hostess. Refreshments will be served. A cordial invitation is extended to all members and friends.

## Isabella Party

One hundred and fifty-four members of Trinity Circle, Daughters of Isabella, enjoyed the attractively appointed dinner party held Monday evening at the House

of Ludington. Tables were centered with flowers and the Isabella year books formed the place cards.

A program of popular songs by Mrs. Frank Beaudry, who was accompanied by Mrs. Irvin Cashion, followed the dinner, and cards were played during the evening. High score awards were: contract, Mrs. Julia Sullivan, first; Mrs. Victor Nelson, second; auction, Mrs. John Blahnik, first; Mrs. E. L. Desilets, second; five hundred, Mrs. William Sheverette, first; Mrs. Jack Bowden, second; pin-ochle, Mrs. Robert Cass, first; Mrs. Lester Noel, second.

Mrs. Archie Campbell and her committee were in charge of arrangements.

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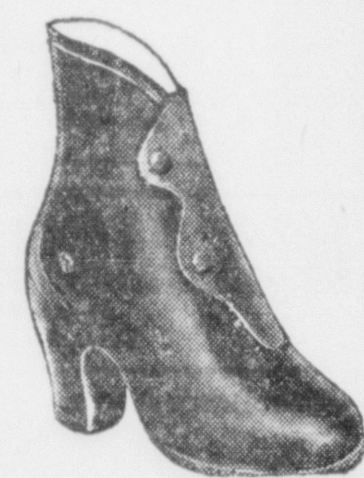
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## CAMERON HEADS DRIVE FOR FUND

Seek Contributions To  
Battle Infantile  
Paralysis

The drive for funds with which to combat infantile paralysis will get into full swing in Gladstone this week, it is learned from Wallace Cameron, superintendent of schools, who is the Gladstone chairman.

Information on the campaign will be disseminated by members of the Hi-Y club of Gladstone high school, the drive will be brought to the attention of local service clubs and receptacles where donations may be deposited will be placed in various public places throughout the city.

Collections will be taken in the Rialto theater and a film publicizing the campaign will also be run.

The epidemic of the disease last year was the most severe in 28 years.

The final paragraph of the form letter sent out by the County Chapter under the name of Earle B. Harris sums up the appeal in this manner:

"We are not asking you for a contribution for flowers to be placed on the grave of the 'Unknown' child but rather for help to sustain him or her in the right to live a normal and useful life."



**SMACK—OH!**—After years and years as a screen star, Shirley Temple got her first real smacker recently, as seen above, and, judging by expressions in lower photo, it went over all right. First Shirley-kisser was ex-Marine Jerry Shane, of Grand Rapids, Mich., who said "Guadalcanal was never like this." He was followed by 21 other bit players in the "Kiss and Tell" company, some of whom are seen waiting their turns behind him. With retakes, each averaged about 4½ kisses, plus \$25 as bit players. (NEA Photo.)

### Briefly Told

**Auxiliary Ladies**—A regular meeting of the Auxiliary Ladies will be held at 2:30 o'clock this afternoon at the home of Mrs. Nels Anderson, 704 Delta avenue.

**Y. P. Social**—Young People of the First Baptist church will have a social meeting and program this evening at 8 o'clock at the church. Mrs. Andrew Swenson will be hostess. The program will include hymns by the audience, a scripture reading and prayer by Marie Kimber, vocal duets by Dawn and Jeanne McClintch, a reading by Iris Goodman, a piano solo by Donna Mae Lindahl, a talk by Rev. Birger Swenson of Escanaba, and the closing song and prayer.

**Confirmation Class**—The confirmation class of the First Lutheran church is scheduled to meet for instruction at 4:15 o'clock this afternoon.

**Jr. Bible Class**—The Junior Bible class of St. Paul's Lutheran church will meet this evening at 7 o'clock.

**Y. P. Annual Meet**—The Young People of the Mission Covenant church will hold their annual meeting this evening at 8 o'clock at the church. Mrs. Louis Skogquist is to be the hostess.

**Wasa Order**—A regular meeting of the Wasa Order is scheduled for tonight at 8 o'clock in the Eagles hall. Installation of officers will be conducted.

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Susan Hayward  
Robert Benchley

Shown At 8:30 p. m. ONLY  
ADDED—"Tiger Trouble"

## Officers Installed By Job's Daughters

Open installation of officers of the Gladstone Bethel of Job's Daughters was conducted at the Masonic hall Monday evening.

The staff installed includes: Honored Queen, Joyce Davis; Junior Princess, Merita Murker; Senior Princess, Carol Anderson; Guide, Mary Fitzpatrick; Marshal, Gladys Nebel; Chaplain, Lois Murker; Treasurer, Elna Anderson; Musician, Betty Ann Bredahl; Recorder, Audrey Buckmiller; Librarian, Carolyn Rose; First Messenger, Betty Heslip; Second Messenger, Dorothy Lamberg; Fourth Messenger, Joan McMillan; Fifth Messenger, Joan Syverson; Junior Custodian, Joanne Elliot; Senior Custodian, Erna Sigg; Inner Guard, Wille Lundmark; Outer Guard, Helen Burroughs.

Miss Carolyn Rose, retiring queen, served as installing officer and was assisted by Mrs. Suzanne Quistfort as installing guide, Anna Sue Murker as installing marshal, Hilda Apeigen as installing chaplain, Mrs. Isobel Davis as installing secretary and Mrs. Carl Olson as installing musician. The new Honored Queen was escorted to her throne by a group of girls from the Escanaba Bethel.

A social at which lunch was served followed the installation.

## HOME NURSING TO BE TAUGHT

Will Form Two Classes;  
Two Others Finish  
Course

Two classes in Home Nursing conducted by Mrs. Opal Imonen and Miss Inez Nyberg have completed the course and in the near future two new classes are to be started.

Persons interested in taking the course may phone Mrs. Gale Westcott, No. 4271, or Mrs. S. R. Venne, No. 5061.

The course is of particular value to mothers of young children, it is stated.

Of the two new courses to be given one will be for senior girls and will be taught afternoons by Miss Nyberg. The other will be for adults and is to be held evenings, probably on Tuesdays. This will be taught by Mrs. Imonen.

Members of Mrs. Imonen's class which has completed the work are the Mesdames Wilfred Bezner, Shirley Buckmaster, Milton Damitz, Linda Erickson, Wilfred LaFave, John Lash, Ellice Nolan and Malvina Wilhelm and Bertha Clark.

In Miss Nyberg's class were the Mesdames Ray Gazlay, Henry Cassidy, Roy LaCrosse, Leon Foster, Ed Olson Jr., Lloyd Moulds, Louis Gabriel and Oscar Knutson.

### Social

#### Legion Auxiliary

Mrs. E. H. Noblet entertained the Auxiliary to August Mattson Post, American Legion, Monday evening at her home on Minnesota avenue. A social followed the business session. In bridge Mrs. Al Brusoe had high score and Mrs. B. C. Chatfield second, while in smeer Mrs. Alphonse DeMenter was high.

The next meeting of the Auxiliary will be held at the home of Mrs. Gust Lierman and the committee in charge will be composed of the Mesdames Peter Cannon, Lloyd Ketchum, Gus Lierman and Carl Olson.

In normal times, England imports 15,000,000 false teeth from the United States, as compared with 12,000,000 produced at home.

### Bowling Notes

Ladies' Central Bowling League schedule:

Thursday January 25th  
Alleys 1 and 2, Heinz vs. Martin's Insurance Agency.  
Alleys 3 and 4, Northern Woolen Goods vs. Nelson's Cleaners.

A tie for first place was rolled Sunday afternoon with the Manistique Tool winning the championship.

The games were won on total pins. Manistique Tool rolled games of 704, 707, and 751 for a total of 2162.

Michigan Dimension rolled games of 672, 681 and 736 for a total of 2089.

The Manistique Tool team consists of Margaret English, Capt. Louise Quick, Mildred Gray, Helen Genry, Elsie Kasun.

The Michigan Dimension team consists of Denyse Eck, Capt. Evelyn Lofgren, Buelah Bolitho, Rose Curley, Olive Smits.

### Social

#### W. S. of C. S.

The W. S. of C. S. of the Methodist church held their regular business meeting Tuesday evening at the home of Mrs. H. P. Tierger on S. Cedar street.

Following the business session delicious refreshments were served.

## INVADE JAPAN, MORROW URGES

Occupation Necessary To  
Show Fallacy Of  
Shintoism

Jack Morrow, former newspaper editor in Tokyo, declared Tuesday night in a lecture presented at the Manistique high school auditorium that war must be brought home to the Japanese homeland, that the Japanese islands must be invaded and occupied in order to assure peace in the Far East in the years to come.

The lecturer explained that the educational system of Japan for centuries has stressed the fact that war has never been brought to Japan because "Japan is the house where God lives and God protects his house against his enemies."

Morrow attacked the religion of Shintoism in Japan as "an international racket" by which the war lords of the Nipponese empire have been able to completely subjugate the people of Japan to their will.

"Emperor Hirohito is God on earth to 100,000,000 intelligent and literate Japanese," Morrow told his audience.

#### Must Destroy Myth

Insisting that the racket of Shintoism must be exposed to the people of Japan, Morrow derived the viewpoint of many diplomats who argue that Japan can be conquered by blockade, obviating the necessity of actual landings on Japanese shores.

"Japan must be conquered by invasion. Japan must also be occupied by American troops for some time after the peace is established so that the people of Japan can see for themselves that the fate of Japan is held in the hollow of the hands of American troops, and to destroy the myth that Japan cannot be invaded."

Morrow declared that Emperor Hirohito and the militaristic leaders of Japan themselves must be forced to sign a confession that Shintoism is a racket and that Japan has been led to the brink of international suicide under the pretext of a false religion.

The speaker declared that when this is accomplished and the emperor's confession is widely distributed throughout Japan, America need not be concerned about what to do with the war criminals of Japan.

"The people of Japan will take care of that themselves," Morrow predicted.

#### Tremendous Influence

Morrow said that the occupation forces should remain in Japan to give the new people's government a chance to get rooted and "then show them get out of Japan and stay out."

Morrow declared that the power of Shintoism is tremendous in Japan. He explained that the civilian population is enduring untold hardships, long working hours, lowered standards of living and scanty food rations because of their faith in this religion and that the soldiers of Japan are performing feats of courage unparalleled in warfare for the same reason.

Morrow's lecture here was presented under the auspices of the Manistique Women's club and he was introduced to the audience by Mrs. Dorothy Lindquist, president of the Women's club.

## GI Farm Loans Will Be Discussed At Meeting Monday

Machinery for certifying GI farm loans is being set up at a meeting to be held in Manistique next Monday, January 29, 1945.

The Veterans Loan Certifying Committee and county FSA supervisor from Luce, Schoolcraft and Mackinac counties will be in attendance.

Mr. J. B. Roy of the Regional FSA staff at Milwaukee will assist Mr. B. L. Braamse, the district FSA supervisor, in training the committeemen and county supervisor for their duties in carrying out the farm loan provisions of the "G. I. Bill of Rights."

The certifying committee will be composed of the regular FSA county committee in each county with the addition of the fourth member who is to be a business man and a veteran of World War I or II.

Although the duties of the certifying committee will not be connected with the regular FSA program of rural rehabilitation and farm ownership, the committee will function through the FSA organization. The County FSA Committee will continue to perform their regular normal duties in connection with the FSA program but will take on the added responsibilities of serving on the Veterans Loan Certifying Committee.

Mr. Braamse district FSA Supervisor, states that it is hoped the machinery will all be in working order by February 15 and any veteran applications received by local lending agencies can be processed.

### Court Of Honor

Here On Feb. 13

Court of Honor will be held by the Boy Scouts at the Manistique high school auditorium Tuesday evening, Feb. 13.

Plans for the ceremonies were made at a meeting of Scout leaders held here Tuesday evening. Attending the meeting were Charles Manson, R. G. Hentschell, Mauritz Carlson, Roy Anderson and S. N. Bradford, Scout executive of Escanaba.



**WAR CASUALTY**—Mrs. Beryl Shirk of Manistique has been advised by the war department that her husband, Sgt. Beryl Shirk was wounded in action for a third time, in Belgium, on December 20, and is now hospitalized in England.

He was first wounded on September 4, receiving the Purple Heart, and was again wounded on September 18, after which he was awarded the Oak Leaf Cluster.

He has been in the service since March 15, 1942, and was sent overseas in April, 1944. He has seen action in France, Germany and Belgium.

He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Shirk of Escanaba.

## HUTSON WILL SPEAK TONIGHT

Packer Star To Address  
Elks At Bowling Banquet Here

Don Hutson, famed star of the Green Bay Packers football team, will be the guest speaker at the semi-annual Elks club bowling banquet this evening at the Elks lodge rooms.

Hutson, who owns the well known Packer Playdium alleys in Green Bay, will talk about his football experiences and then will show movies of the Green Bay Packer games.

Following the dinner on the main floor of the club, the Elks and their guests will go to the lodge room upstairs where the program will be held.

Dr. George Shaw will serve as toastmaster and Tom Mulrooney will deliver the address of welcome, upon behalf of the exalted ruler, William Norton, who is unable to attend. A short address will be given by Otmer Schuster representing the National Elks bowling committee, after which Dr. Shaw will introduce Hutson.

Arrangements for the affair have been handled by a committee headed by Ken Van Eyck, general chairman. Approximately 150 persons will attend.

The bowling feature of the night will include a match between the Elks Nationals and the Chevrolets and a special match of barbers, with Clint Leonard and George Dupont opposing Bill DeJunt and Ross Collier.

The address by Hutson is expected to be one of the most entertaining in the long series of bowling banquets held in Manistique. In addition to being one of the greatest football players of all time, Hutson is an adept after dinner speaker.

## Swab Tests Show Need For Better Sanitation Here

Bacteriological swab tests taken of utensils in food and drink establishments in Manistique by Frank Driedric, sanitarian of the Alger-Schoolcraft health department, reveal an unsanitary and dangerous condition here, it was revealed yesterday.

Dr. C. E. Lockwood, director of the health department, reported that the tests were taken to determine if proper cleaning and efficient sanitation were being practiced by the local restaurants, taverns, and soda fountains, and also to show the owners of such establishments how well or how poorly the utensils are being cleaned and sterilized.

There were 112 swab tests taken in 17 local establishments. The results of the tests follow:

Glasses Bacterial Count less than 100, 36; Bacterial Count over 100, 36; Coliform Group Found 24; Cups Bacterial Count less than 100, 4; Bacterial Count over 100, 8; Coliform group found 4; Spoons bacterial count, less than 100, 16; bacterial count over 100, 12; coliform group found 4.

The average plate count per utensil surface should not exceed 100.

Higher counts are presumptive evidence of inadequate cleansing or bactericidal treatment or recontamination by handling or during storage. The coliform group found indicates fecal pollution from man or animal and thus bacteria should be absent from the utensils.

Henry Ford startled the world in 1925 when he announced a five-day work week for employees.

### Briefly Told

**Bake Sale**—The Baptist Ladies' Aid Society will hold a bake sale Saturday at 1 o'clock in the Weber and Vaughan store.

**Goodwill Club**—A regular meeting of the Goodwill Club will be held this afternoon at the home of Mrs. Agner Dohlin. The meeting will be in the form of a shower for Mrs. William Reber.

**Gulliver Baptist Chapel**—A service will be held at the Gulliver Baptist Chapel this evening at 7:45. Special musical numbers, Chorus sing, illustrated message. Everybody cordially invited.

**Legion Meeting**—There will be a regular meeting of the American Legion this evening at the K. of C. hall. All members are urged to attend.

**Choir Practice**—The First Baptist Junior Choir will meet for practice this evening in the church at 6:30.

## LEGION HEADS VISIT IN CITY

Banquet Is Held Last  
Evening For State  
Dignitaries

State officers of the American Legion, enroute to the annual mid-winter conference at Sault Ste. Marie, were feted in Manistique yesterday afternoon and evening in their annual inspection tour of the upper peninsula.

The state officers who visited Manistique were:

Dr. Charles J. Gray, department commander; Mrs. Edna Zahn Albers, department president of the American Legion Auxiliary; L. H. Alexander, department adjutant and welfare officer; Oliver F. Alard, department vice commander of the fifth zone; George W. Beaudoin, upper peninsula adjutant and field service officer; Harvey Quick, 11th district committeeman; Mrs. Odile Miller, 11th district president of the auxiliary; Jay H. Brown, national field secretary; Addison D. Alquire, liaison officer of the state office of veterans affairs.

Open house was held for Legionnaires yesterday afternoon from five to six o'clock at the residence of Fred Hahne, Lake street.

The dinner in honor of the visiting dignitaries was held last evening at 6:30 o'clock at the First Methodist church. Dr. George Shaw was the toastmaster and addresses were given by Dr. Gray and others in the party of state officials.

The annual mid-winter conference will be held at Sault Ste. Marie Thursday, Friday and Saturday of this week.

## Social Security Agent Is Coming

Persons wishing information or assistance in connection with the Old Age and Survivors Insurance program of the Social Security Act can secure it by contacting Stanley T. Faulk, manager of the Escanaba office of the Social Security board.

Mr. Faulk will be at the post office building in Manistique from 8:30 to 10:30 a. m. on Friday, January 26.

### POTATO PEST CONTROL

DDT has added another of man's insect foes to its list of conquests. This time it's the potato leafhopper, serious pest in many potato-growing areas. Treated plants are found to be taller, broader, darker green in color, and leaflets were flatter. No foliar injury was observed.

### Chapped Hands!

Here Comes Ice-Mint—If you want something that really acts quickly when hands or skin are painfully chapped, sore and cracked—get Ice-Mint! Not a beauty lotion but a medicinal preparation that brings real comfort to wind-chapped skin and soothes raw, cracked surfaces. So don't go around with stinging, chapped hands or rough, cracked lips. Get a jar of soothing, cooling Ice-Mint today! At all drug stores.

### WANTED

Plain Sewing  
Call any day except Saturday  
Mrs. H. Selby at Wood's Dairy

## OAK THEATRE

Today Only

Evening, 7 and 9

## "TIGER SHARK"

Edward G. Robinson  
Richard Arlen

Selected Shorts

## FOUR LEAVING FOR INDUCTION

Six Sent To Milwaukee  
Tuesday For Pre-  
induction Exam

Four Schoolcraft county draft registrants will leave here this morning for Milwaukee for induction into the military services. The men are Leslie Buruse, Route One, Manistique; Charles Shining, Manistique; Everett Losey, Germfask and Orville Olson, Cooks.

Six registrants left here Tuesday morning for preinduction examinations at Milwaukee. They are Ralph Williams, Raymond Linderoth, John Wickwire, Bertie Barr, Ralph Whitman and Clarence Leach. In addition two local registrants were transferred to other boards for preinduction examination. They are Harold Nicholson, transferred to New York, and Bruce Vertz, transferred to L'Anse.

The local board also announced that Schoolcraft county farmers under the age of 26 will be sent to Detroit February 6 for preinduction examinations.

### City Briefs

Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Bates of Detroit visited here with Mr. and Mrs. R. Arrowood enroute to Crystal Falls where they were called by the serious illness of Mr. Bates' brother.

Misses Henrietta Benish and Audrey Patrick have left for Port Huron where they will be employed.

Donald Schuetter and Vernon Edwards, who left last week to join the U. S. Merchant Marine, passed all examinations and left Saturday evening for New York.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Arrowood spent the week end in Crystal Falls where they were called by the illness of Mrs. Arrowood's brother.

Ray Stannard Baker, biographer and essayist, writes under his own name and also under the name of David Grayson.

## How To Relieve Bronchitis

Creomulsion relieves promptly because it goes right to the seat of the trouble to help loosen and expel germ laden phlegm, and aid nature to soothe and heal raw, tender, inflamed bronchial mucous membranes. Tell your druggist to sell you a bottle of Creomulsion with the understanding you must like the way it quickly allays the cough or you are to have your money back.

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**SPECIALS**  
January 25-26-27

Groceries	
Peas, 8 lb. label,	
20 oz. can, 2 for	23c
Pork & Beans,	
Londons,	
20 oz. can, 2 for	25c
Green Beans,	
19 oz. can, 2 for	31c
Asparagus, Cut	
Spears, 19 oz. can	35c
Vegetable Juice	
Cocktail,	
18 fl. oz., 2 for	25c
Grapefruit Juice,	
18 oz., 2 for	29c
Campbells Tomato	
Soup,	
10 1/2 oz. cans, 5 for	45c
Pancake Flour, Co-op,	
5 lbs.	37c
Rolls Oats, Quick or	
regular, 48 oz.	26c
Preserves, Co-op, Gooseberry,	
Bing Cherry,	
1 lb.	31c
Strawberry-Apple,	
2 lbs.	51c
Boston Bluefish,	
No Pts., 11 1/4 oz. can	27c

### Vegetables & Fruits

Oranges, Arizona	
Sweeties, 5 lbs.	49c
Delicious Apples,	
3 lbs.	35c
Cooking Apples,	
5 lbs.	25c
Lettuce	2 for 19c
Celery	2 for 25c
Carrots,	
3 behs.	25c

### Meats

Ground Beef	lb. 25c
Beef Roast	lb. 23c
Round Steak	lb. 29c
Pork Chops,	
center cut, lb.	35c
Spring Chicken,	
lb.	39c
Neck Bones,	
2 lbs.	15c
Prepared Lutefisk,	
lb.	23c



# Escanaba Ice Revue Will Be Held At Indoor Rink Feb. 16 To 18

## SKATING CLUB WILL SPONSOR

Expect 2,000 Attendance At Three Night Program

The fifth annual Escanaba Ice Revue will be held at the Upper Peninsula State Fairgrounds indoor rink on three nights, Feb. 16 to 18, it was announced yesterday by officers of the Escanaba Figure Skating club, sponsor of the popular event.

Daily rehearsals are being held under the direction of Miss Marjorie Davies, Iron River, who has been engaged as the club instructor. The cost of almost a hundred costumes, some of which are being obtained from Chicago and Milwaukee by Mrs. Harold G. Groos, costume committee chairman. Decorations will be in charge of Fred Johnson.

Theme of this winter's ice revue will be "The Calendar on Ice," and 12 acts will depict the significant holidays or activities of each month of the year.

The sale of tickets will start Feb. 1 under the direction of a committee composed of Ray Emrich, chairman, Merton Jensen and A. J. Gearts. Last year, the ice show was held two nights, drawing a crowd of 1400. The fifth annual event, to be staged three nights, is expected to have a total attendance of 2,000.

## Navy PT Director Stresses Need Of College Athletics

New York, Jan. 24. (AP)—The success of the navy's strenuous physical training program proves the need of more competitive athletics in America's schools and colleges, Commander William R. "Killer" Kane told about 35 college athletic directors at the opening session of the schedule-making conference of the central office for eastern intercollegiate athletics today.

Kane, newly-appointed chief of the naval aviation physical training division, told of his own observations in the Pacific war zone on the importance of physical condition. The navy's plan, he said, calls for a stiff competitive program beginning in the pre-flight schools and continuing even after training is completed.

## Bark River Lions To Tackle Daggett

The Bark River Lions team and Daggett Town team will clash in a basketball game tonight at the Bark River community hall. Play will start at 8 p. m.

## The Sports Parade

By Harry Grayson

Miami.—Members of USO units returning from farflung battlefronts advise not to send cigarettes, gum and candy to the boys. They can obtain all they want at PX's, smokes at 50 cents a carton, five cents a pack.

—Salad dressing of any kind, anchovies, sardines and olives are appreciated most. Casey Stengel back in Kansas City where he started, is expected to purchase the franchise in the event that the Yankee empire is broken up if and when it is sold.—Jack Saltzgar remains with the Blues as utility man.—Arndt Jorgens and Saltzgar got rich sitting in the Yankee dugout.—Nice work if you can get it.—If he wins, Mike Jacobs suspects Joe Louis will change his mind about retiring after a return match with Billy Conn.—Need of money, among other things, will keep Louis going.—The Brown Bomber is an expensive institution who has been out of action three years.

Joe Savoldi, veteran of the Sicily campaign and the landing at Salerno, is back on wrestling mats.—Savoldi sees grappling returning to the big time when the war is won.—It contributed more to the war than any other sport. Jumping Joe contends, being the essence of hand-to-hand fighting.—Thousands of kids in the armed forces have learned to wrestle well, and will cut out the clowning.—The old Notre Dame fullback makes an interesting observation—"A composite of Sleepy Jim Crowley and Frank Leahy," he points out, "would be someone approaching Knute Rockne."—Capt. Buddy Lewis, former Washington third baseman, has 18 Hump missions to his credit in Burma.—Preacher Gil Dadds henceforth will devote full time to the human race, so it will be up to Jim Rafferty and some others to spur Gander Hagg.—Very few flat-track miles have been run faster than the 4 minutes and 15.7 seconds turned in by the 29-year-old Fordham alumnus in New York the other night.

Florida feels the racing ban more than any other state.—The Land of the Everglades got \$7,000,000 from the horses, dogs and jai alai last winter.—With the first of three tracks starting a 120-day season earlier than usual, and mutual pay 60 per cent higher, anticipated 1944-45 revenue was \$11,000,000.—This money was to go for old age pensions, school teachers' salaries and into the general funds of the state's 67 counties.—That was an interesting story about racing in Russia, where the horses, like everything else, are the property of the gov-

ernment.—Trotters formerly held the main interest of Russian breeders because of the carriage trade.—A group of eastern breeders purchased the Fasig-Tipton Co., close to 50 years the nation's leading thoroughbred sales outfit.—"When Saratoga resumes its important role," said Maj. Kenneth Gilpin, in closing the deal, "the Spa sales paddocks will be as ready to resume operations as the Saratoga Association."—Thatta boy, Major.—If racing wants to stay healthy, it will return to the mellowed old Civil War course, and give New York City a breather in August.—That would also tickle Butch LaGuardia.

—Basketball is the top sport in Great Britain these days with more than 25,000 American servicemen competing in the greatest overseas program ever organized in wartime.

Winter league champions, survivors of approximately 2,000 original teams, will compete for district and base titles to determine the quietest to compete for the United Kingdom championship march 7-9 in London.

Site of the final tournament will be Albert Hall with its red plush seats—a situation roughly comparable to holding the NCAA finals in Carnegie Hall.

Baskets have been turned out in spare time by England's small arms factories and British clothiers have produced uniforms consisting of pants resembling boxing trunks.

Teams compete in gyms, hangars, municipal produce markets, home guard drill halls or any place two hoops can be hung.

Capt. Ralph Ifft (Cable Copy) of Akron, Ohio, United Kingdom Athletic Director and former minor league pitcher, is enthusiastic about the progress of the game.

Among the standout teams are the troop carrier pipers, who are favored to win the championship behind sharp shooting Cpl. Glen Brown of Calvin College, Grand Rapids, Mich. The Pipers took the base crown in Sicily and have won 128 in 135 starts in three seasons.

Bill's boys of the second bomb division have tallied 1112 points winning 19 straight with Pvt. Manny Kaplan of Brooklyn College showing the way.

Other leading clubs are quarter-master double-clutchers, led by Sgt. Cliff Mober of Wayne University. Frank's Yanks, piloted by Cpl. Dick Gray of Villanova; Parachute Infantry Spiders sparked by Harmon Walters of Rice and the Liberator Ducklings spearheaded by Sgt. Dick Baldwin of University of Rochester.

There are no bakeries in Liberia; homemade bread is a household staple.

A highly-placed representative of the "national pastime" said today that baseball doesn't want any player whose qualifications for service have not been checked and double checked.

It would be just as distasteful to the game for its players to be under suspicion as it would be for the army or public to watch them play.

What baseball does want is for the general public to understand that any player who puts on a league uniform for the 1945 season does so because the army and navy don't have a place for him.

Government officials, it is felt could bring about this understanding by merely announcing that any player who appears on the field next spring has a perfect right to be there.

Baseball still is confronted with a manpower problem all its own and is hoping for the right to use some men who are rejected physically.

Both day and night shifts will work six shifts until further notice. An earlier announcement by the company said day crews would work six days and night crews five nights, leaving Saturday nights open.

The Spies-Virgil mine is expected to go on a six-day week, joining other mines of the Cleveland Cliffs Iron company on the Marquette range. The mine is now operating 40 hours.

UAW PUBLICITY AIDE Iron River—Miss Violet McGrath, assistant to Edward Levinson, director of publicity and publication for the UAW-CIO in Detroit has resigned to become press assistant to Rep. Frank E. Hook. It was announced recently.

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## NEW BASEBALL TALENT HANDY

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BY JACK HAND

New York, Jan. 24. (AP)—Professional baseball probably has enough 17-year-olds and players over 38 to man the 16 major league rosters if conditions necessitate such action.

A nationwide survey by the Associated Press today uncovered almost 450 players whose 1944 experience ranged from the big leagues to class D. Many of these still would be available if all now in the military draft age should be taken.

It wouldn't be big league ball but it might serve as an acceptable stop gap if proposed national service legislation is passed and put into immediate large scale operation.

There has been no official indication from the sport or from the government that there will be any radical change in the attitude expressed by the president's "carry on if you can" message.

Big league executives have continued to make training camp plans, player deals and mail out contracts on the assumption that the season will open as usual in mid-April. For the most part they are depending on the holdovers from '44 who have not been called to service. No club has shown any inclination to load up with any large amount of over-age and under-age talent and probably none will except as a last resort.

Any sweeping grab of the teen-agers and over 38s probably would wreck most of the minors and would involve drastic changes in the methods by which players are moved up the baseball ladder. Only an extreme state of emergency could force such action.

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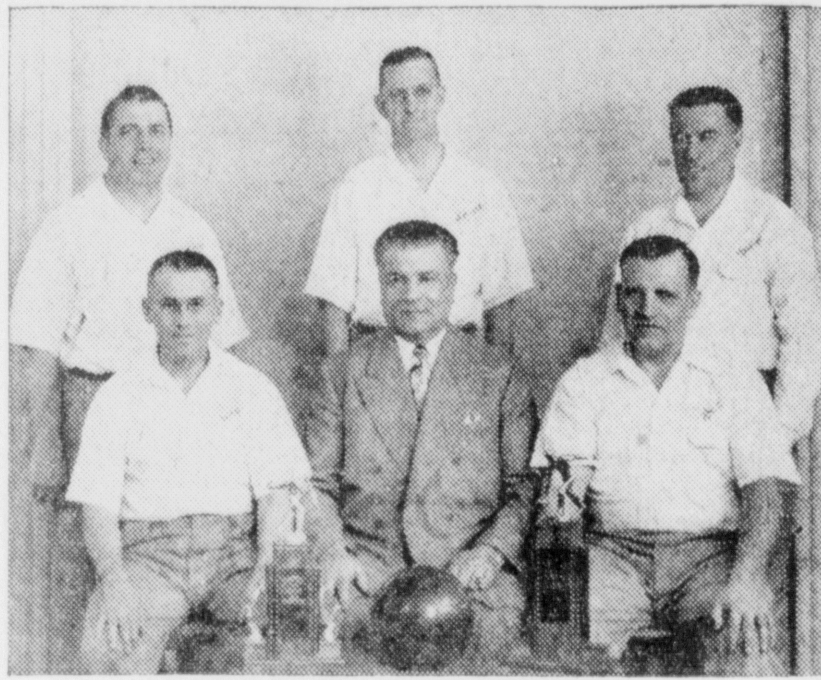
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## Hunting And Fishing

By Sid Gordon

### DUCK BLINDS AND LEAD POISONING

I do not suppose there is one hunter out of 10 who sees a sick duck, swan or goose in the water but what says to himself: "That bird has been wounded."

He may be right in his surmise but often it may not be a wounded bird. It may be a bird which has fed on the shot from shotgun shells. When a diving duck or a tipup duck swallows a few of those lead pellets, they make him a mighty sick bird.

Too many in his gizzard cause his death for they cannot pass to the intestines and we have a case of lead poisoning. This can, and does, happen where we have had blinds year after year in the same spots.

Whether we shoot shot size 4, 5 or 6 in our 12-gauge shells, they will average about 200 lead pellets to each shot. Just 10 shots will spray the bottom with 2,000 "poison" pills. This means that there are several hundred thousand pellets under water, around our blinds.

The birds eat thousands of tiny snails not much larger than our pellets. They sift the soft mud through their bills, strain out the pellets along with the snails and tiny clams and swallow them. Thousands of seeds from the water plants too, are almost as large as these lead pellets.

The waterfowl evidently have not a very sharp sense of taste. They swallow much gravel to help their digestion and I presume they regard the lead pellets as just another grinding aid for their gizzard. Once in their gizzard, they can neither eject nor digest them.

The bird sickens and recovers if there are not too many, or dies if he has swallowed sufficient to clog the gizzard. Many experiments are being made to bring out a pellet which will either disintegrate in the water or will be made of something other than lead, but these are not yet on the market or may not be practical.

When I see the ducks sitting out there in the water by the thousands, three or more gunshots lead poisoning has something to do with it.

The blind looks all right, the hunters keep down and keep quiet but the birds refuse to work in our decoys. Then I wish I knew the duck language.

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## STOCK UP TURN LED BY RAILS

New York, Jan. 24. (AP)—Rail leaders advanced the stock market today, and a variety of other issues improved fractionally before the recovery move stalled.

The carriers, under a burden of profit cashing and liquidation since hitting 7-year peaks January 10, have secured only two rallies since that date, today and last Wednesday.

Southern Railway, put on a regular dividend basis Tuesday, passed the move and was up 1 1/2. Santa Fe, Great Northern, Delaware & Hudson—which was up 1 3/4—and New York Central followed.

American Telephone, down fractionally most of the day, slipped badly in the final hour and finished 2 1/2, lower at 160 3/4. Johns-Manville and Goodrich each lost 1/4 in lighter dealings.

Activity tapered, aggregating 1,012,460 shares against 2,650,000 Tuesday. Statistically, the market just about broke even. Of 809 issues crossing the tape—there were 548 Tuesday—only saw 340 advances, 230 declines and 239 unchanged.

The Associated Press index of 60 stocks ended steady at 57 1/2 with the rail and industrial divisions each up 1/4 of a point.

BOND LIST MIXED New York, Jan. 24. (AP)—The bond market underwent alternate periods of advances and declines today which left the main corporate list a trifle mixed at the end.

On the whole, the rails held unchanged although that group had the largest number of substantial gains and losses. Industrials remained at previous levels while small declines were posted in low-yields and utilities. Sales of \$9,247,800 compared with \$11,875,600 on Tuesday.

Off to a slow and indecisive start, the carrier group worked its way selectively higher at one time with gains of fractions to 3/4 or so in the majority but the effort was tiring and prices were well mixed up at the close.

Baltimore & Ohio's demand exceeded for the stamped convertibles of 1960, which ended up at a point at 57 3/8. Central New Jersey 5s moved up 2 to 40 and Lehigh Valley added a point at 48. Loans of the St. Paul, Rock Island, North Western, Missouri Pacific, New York Central, New Haven and Frisco were mixed to lower.

Hudson Coal 5s and Philadelphia & Reading Coal 5s moved up 1/4 and along with Armour 3 1/2s, Crucible Steel 3 1/2s and International Hydro Electric 6s, American Telephone 3s were under pressure but the latter were slightly higher. U. S. governments were steady.

Czechoslovakia 5s reflected the good war news by moving up 4 points and Denmark bonds made progress. Brazils were lower.

CHICAGO BUTTER Chicago, Jan. 24. (AP)—(WFA)—The butter market was firm today and unchanged at OPA ceilings.

CHICAGO EGGS Chicago, Jan. 24. (AP)—(WFA)—Eggs were weak; medium extras, 38 to 39; extras, 41 to 42; No. 3 and 4 extras, 39 to 40; medium extras, 36 to 37; standard, 37 to 38; current receipts, 27 to 39; other prices unchanged.

CHICAGO POTATOES Chicago, Jan. 24. (AP)—(WFA)—Potatoes, arrivals 64, on track 156, total U. S. shipments 566; old stock, offerings very light, demand exceeds available offerings local track market; market very firm at ceiling. New stock, supplies very light, demand exceeds available supply; market firm at ceiling; Idaho russet Burbanks, U. S. No. 1, 3.47; U. S. No. 2, 3.42; U. S. No. 3, 3.42; Nebraska bliss triumphs, U. S. No. 1, 3.44; Michigan Chippewas, U. S. No. 1, 3.28; Wisconsin Chippewas, U. S. No. 1, 3.42; Florida Bliss triumphs, U. S. No. 1, 2.75 to 2.88.

CHICAGO GRAIN Chicago, Jan. 24. (AP)—Grain markets dipped sharply in early futures trading today but the liquidation soon ran its course and the market turned to a steady resting demand and short covering had steadied prices.

At the finish wheat was 1/4 lower to 3-8 higher than yesterday's close. May \$1.59 7/8 to \$1.60. Corn was off 1/4 to up 3-8, May \$1.11 1/4. Oats were unchanged to 5-8 lower, May 65 1/2 to 65 3-8. Rye was 1-8 lower to 3-4 higher, May \$1.10 5-8 to \$1.10 3-4. Barley was unchanged to 3-8 higher, May \$1.0



# The Want Ads Never Speak, But There Are Hundreds Who Answer Them Every Day

## Rock

### Memorial Services

Rock—Memorial services for Lt. Toivo Maki of the U. S. Army Air Corps and Toivo Kaukula, G. M. 3/c U. S. Navy were held Sunday afternoon at the Finnish Lutheran church at Rock.

White tapers were used on the altar and two large baskets of flowers, gifts of friends decorated the altar rail.

The service consisted of, song, "Fair Lord Jesus," H. S. Girls' Glee Club.

Scripture readings, Rev. David L. Carlson of Escanaba and Rev. Amos Maren of Gwinn.

Song, "Nearer My God To Thee," Girls' Glee Club.

Sermon, (in English), Rev. D. L. Carlson.

Presentation of the U. S. flags to the wives of the soldiers, Commander of Gladstone Post of American Legion.

Song, "Beautiful Isle of Somewhere," Choir.

Sermon (in Finnish), Rev. Amos Maren.

Song (in Finnish) "The Dedication of a Gold Star" by the Choir.

Benediction, Rev. Maren.

Recessional played by Mrs. John Kammen Jr.

Salutes fired by Legion members.

Taps, Legion Bugler.

The service was attended by an honor guard from the Gladstone Legion Post, an honor guard of six Lions club members.

Four servicemen on leave were also present, Francis Trombly, U. S. Navy and Leo Korpi, machinist.

mate 1/c both from the Pacific war theater, Pvt. Leo Syrjanen and Pvt. G. Leach.

Out of town relatives who attended the service were Mrs. Toivo Maki of Detroit, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Maki of Wakefield, Mich., Kauko Kaukula of Ishpeming, Mrs. O. J. Niemi, Mrs. Toivo Kaukula, Mrs. Wilbert Witala of Marquette, and Pearl Kaukula of Chicago.

The Ladies' Aid of the Union Sunday school held its annual meeting at the home of Mrs. Ed Hunt, Thursday evening.

The following officers were chosen for the coming year:

Mrs. Martin Falck, President.

Mrs. John Jokela, Vice-President.

Mrs. Walter Manntie, Secretary.

Mrs. August Larson, Jr., assistant secretary.

Mrs. Charles Carlson, treasurer.

Mrs. Henry Jokela, assistant treasurer.

Mrs. Martin Kaminen, corresponding secretary.

Mrs. Ed Hunt, Mrs. Henry Jokela and Mr. Ed Huff were chosen on the committee to visit the sick.

The next meeting will be at the Town Hall on Feb. 15, when a pot luck lunch will be served.

Pvt. Lydia Ranta of the WAC from Ft. Sheridan, Ill., spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Ranta.

Leo Korpi, M. M. 1/c U. S. Navy is spending a 30 day furlough here at the home of his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Victor Kraka. He has been in service in the southeast Pacific.

Supt. and Mrs. G. E. Weingartner have received word from their son, Sgt. Robert Weingartner that he has been hospitalized in Burma since Dec. 12 but is recovering from an arm injury.

Mrs. Charles Larson, Sr. was in Chicago for several days for medical aid, returning Monday evening.

Rock grade school honor roll and perfect attendance for December follows:

**Honor Roll**

Grade 1—Joyce Aalto, James Depuydt, Kenny Enberg, Bonnie Kinerva, Gail Kangas, Sharron Sayen, Donna Mae Tokka, David Koski, Gloria Franklin.

Grade 2—Mary Lou Franklin, Gerald Saari, Duane Vandenburg, Helen Hallinen, David Harju, Patsy Lusardi, Roger Ramseth.

Grade 3—Charlotte Huff, Joanne Kangas, Leslie Koski, Patsy Renard, Kenneth Rogers, Gloria Saari.

Grade 4—June DeBacker, Thora Hanson, Joanne Harju, Donna LeClaire, Betty Nynas, Gayle Ramseth.

Grade 5—Viola Bakka, Ronald Kaminen, Nancy Koski, Marlene LaLonde, Barbara Nelson, Patsy Seppala.

Grade 6—Jean Hansen, Denis Harju, Mary Louise Jodocy, Shirley Johnson, Allan Jokela, Rudolph Kaminen, Raymond Laituri, Barbara Larson, Lee Larson, Betty Potvin, Dorothy Renard, Bernadette Rogers, Paul Roine, Donna Williamson.

**Perfect Attendance**

Kindergarten—Sandra Norden, Terry Pokela, Patsy Vandenburg, Verna Vercoe.

Grade 1—Joyce Aalto, Ralph Anderson, Kenney Enberg, Thora Hanson, Dennis LaFave, Verna Norman, Vernon Norman, Edwin Seger.

Grade 2—Howard Aalto, Gerald Saari, Richard Seger, Duane Vandenburg, Everett Beach, Helen Hallinen, Rita Lippens, Patsy Lusardi, Roger Ramseth.

Grade 3—Francis Bazinet, Doris Hill, Bernice Leppens, Marvin Norman, Gloria Saari, Bobby Standing.

Grade 4—Archie Bazinet, June DeBacker, Thora Hanson, Joanne Harju, Donna LeClaire, Germaine Leppens, Thelma Lusardi, Melvin Manty, Donald Michéau, Billy Norden, Roger Posenke, Gayle Ramseth.

Grade 5—Lowell LaFave, Virginia Moen, Barbara Nelson, Patsy Seppala, Donald Seppanen.

Grade 6—Neal Hallinen, Jean Hansen, Denis Harju, Gerald Hill, Shirley Johnson, Allen Jokela, Rudolph Kamminen, Raymond

## For Sale

BALED HAY Inquire Frank Gudner, Perkins, Mich. G3427-23-31  
FOR SALE—Pair fairly new shoe ice skates, size 10. Call 2140. 579-23-31

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We have in stock the following sizes of Grade 1 tires:

5.50x16	5.50x17
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4-ROOM flat. Inquire 200 N. 14th St. or phone 2598. 593-25-31

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BABIES ARE EXCELLENT PHOTO SUBJECTS. And their pictures are priceless personal possessions. Have your youngster's photograph made at the SIDNEY RIDINGS STUDIO, Phone 2384. C-14

IT'S SELKIRK'S FOR STYLE. When you want a truly fine photograph, phone 128 for an appointment at the Selkirk Studio. C-14

Before ordering shrubbery and fruit trees for spring planting see the Stark Nursery Main, 15 S. 10th St., Gladstone, upstairs. G3423-19-61

ELDERLY LADY wants room and board in French home preferred. Write Box 583, care of Daily Press. 593-24-21

## Help Wanted—Female

FEMALE ATTENDANTS WANTED. No experience necessary. Good wages and full maintenance. Apply American Legion Hospital, Battle Creek, Michigan. 593-24-61

WOMAN WANTED for general housework, 3 in family, no family washing. \$16.00 a week, room and board. Inquire U. S. Employment Service, Phone 2181. 597-25-21

## Van Meer

Van Meer—Children of the Van Meer school have collected about twenty pounds of waste fat during the past week. Several hundred pounds also were collected recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Berry received a letter from their son, Pfc. Franklin Berry saying that he had been stationed in Chicago in connection with the recruiting service. He is a member of the First Marines. Another son, T/Sgt. George M. Berry is now located in De Ridder, La.

Tommy Thorne is leaving on Saturday for his home in Seminole Okla., after six months at the home of his uncle, Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Berry. Mr. Berry will take him to Chicago via the "400" where he will take the Santa Fe railroad train for Oklahoma City where his mother is employed at Tinker Field.

There is a great deal of snow in this area with more coming each day, it seems.

Mrs. Harold Gamble has been on the sick list. Alvin and Connie spent the week end with their grandmother, Mrs. Art Bower of Melstrand.

Interest in Ash Pile

The evening grosebeaks are still coming to the feeding station here and they seem to like to pick over the ashes where small bits of burned coal offer them "grit". They seem to like to wallow about in the fresh dry ashes, too. We empty a pan of fresh ashes just before the birds appear in the morning. All bits of green lettuce from the trimmings, bits of fresh fruit are placed where they can get it. They pick away at the dried twigs of the hop vine and eat the buds from the maples.

## St. Nicholas

Back on Duty

St. Nicholas—Pfc. Alphonse J. Vermote, who was wounded in France on August 10, and who was hospitalized in England for the past five months has returned to duty in France. He is the youngest son of Henry Vermote. His wife and two-year old son reside in Dallas, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. Rene LaFleur, and Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Smith, of Gladstone spent Sunday afternoon at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jules VanDamme.

Mrs. Raymond Duchaine of Chicago and Mrs. Jules Duchaine and son Joseph of Flat Rock, were Sunday afternoon visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Peter Vermote.

Lawrence DeGrand of Danforth spent Sunday at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Victor DeGrand.

A tin-plated canister of veal packed in 1824, was opened in England in 1938, and the contents found to be edible.

Laituri, Barbara Larson, Lee Larson, Mary LeClaire, Alice Leppens, Harold Lusardi, Eino Maki, Jeanette Martilla, Marie McIntyre, Betty Potvin, Dorothy Renard, Paul Roine, Melvin Toivola, Marcel Verbrigghe, Donna Williamson.

## For Sale

JUST RECEIVED Circulating oil heaters, 4 to 7-room size. PELTIN FURNITURE STORE, 1307 Lud St. Phone 1033. C-365

RECONDITIONED USED PIANOS—Piano tuning—instrument repairing—buy your old piano—LEUNG MUSIC STORE—Escanaba. C-318

We are headquarters for exclusive Maytag Parts and Service. Electric Motors, Washing Machines, Exchange Motors for refrigerators. MAYTAG SALES, 1513 Lud St. Phone 22. C-14

ONE 7 1/2 H. P. General Electric motor. Inquire 303 N. 19th St. 350-20-61

SIX-ROOM HOUSE with full bath at 607 N. Ninth St., Gladstone. Inquire 709 Dakota avenue, Gladstone. G3423-20-61

SPRING AND ELASTIC TRUSSES, Aldonette Belts, WEST END DRUG STORE, Phone 157. C-23

SPECIAL JACKET CLEARANCE! All Jackets now being sold at 25% off. Values up to \$24.95. High quality of zelan, capeskin, and other fine leathers. Some are interlined. Get your jacket at a saving at FIRESTONE STORES, 913 Lud St. Phone 1097. C-23

CLEANING OUT SALE—Everything must go this week. Over 100 light windows just the thing for hot-bed. Only 6 large French doors left, like new, pair \$6.00; 3 Butlets, \$3.00 to \$6.00; Marble dresser, \$3.00; 9 commodes at 50c to \$1.00; Several round and square tables, \$1.00 to \$2.00; 3 ball bugies, \$2.00 to \$6.00; Kerosene stove, 4 burners, built-in oven, for \$6.00; 2 couches; Several chairs; 2 Victrolas; Oil burner chick brooder; electric fence charger; New roll of 1" mesh chick fence, 12' high; set of 1" to 2" pipe dies with cutter; 2 ice boxes; Low priced articles too numerous to mention. These articles may be seen at 309 Ludington St. Arthur Abour, Phone 108. 573-23-31

FOR FRESH DRESSED chickens see Sundquist Dairy Man. Call orders to Scheila's gas station. 569-23-31

CLOCKS REPAIRED. Old clocks accepted as part payment or cash given on old clocks, also repairs flat-tops and toasters. LeDuc Market, 906 Stephenson Ave. 574-25-61

THE ESCANABA TRADING POST 223 S. 10th St. Escanaba. Phone 984. Col. Clark Williams, Prop. We buy and sell everything. Good studio couch. Leather davenport; Twin beds; 2 single beds; small desk; large oil burner; two 50-gal. barrel stoves; gasoline pressure stove; birdcage; reed baby buggy; large hand sled; electric motors; small platform scale; large tool chest; several pairs of white skates. Clothing of all kinds. C-24

FOR SALE—Milk Pails, Cream Can, MICHIGAN POTATO GROWERS EXCHANGE, 610 First Ave. N. Phone 88. C-25

WARDS CHICKS ARE BRED FOR PROFIT. All popular breeds sexed or as hatched. Low as \$10.95 per 100. C-25-26-27

LAUNDRY TUBS, skis, sleds, combination gas, wood and coal range. Phone 866-F21 or 1570-F3. 593-23-31

SHOE REPAIR EQUIPMENT—Late model American stitching machine, two patching machines, one trimming and finishing machine. Because of owner's illness, this equipment is offered for quick sale, with supply of materials on hand. John Lindstrom, Manistique. 990-25-31

FOR SALE—1940 Pontiac 8 sport coupe, 6 passenger. Fully equipped and excellent rubber. Ceiling phone. Phone 1091 afterwards. 894-25-31

JUST RECEIVED—FULLER VACU-STATIC CLEANER—\$145. H. E. PETERSON, Phone 2377. 1219 N. 2nd Ave. C-25

## Specials at Stores

We buy all kinds of Used Furniture and Household Appliances and give liberal trade-in allowances on new. PELTIN'S FURNITURE STORE, 1307 Lud St. Phone 1033. C-9

HICKORY SKIN with binders \$14.95. Overnight cases \$11.95 and \$14.95 plus and \$23.35; Cable Ski Binders \$3.95; 20 per cent federal tax; 26-inch Pullman case \$21.95 plus 20 per cent federal tax. Clothes Baskets \$2.98 and Clothes Hampers \$3.95. BEAUDRY FIRESTONE STORE, Gladstone.

JUST ARRIVED! One lot of Men's, Women's and Children's Bedroom Slippers at special close-out prices. Sheepskin lined. Assorted colors. Specially priced. F & G CLOTHING CO. Phone 1498. C-25

## Wanted to Buy

USED TYPEWRITERS and Adding Machines. R. PETERSON, 611 Lud St. Phone 1095. C-11

WANTED TO BUY—2 pair of hickory skis and binders, 2 pair of ski boots size 8 and 10. Phone 487 before 6 p. m. 572-23-31

WANTED USED CARS. Pay ceiling price. ESCANABA MOTOR CO. C-23-14

WANTED TO BUY—22 automatic rifle, LeDuc's Market, 306 Stephenson Ave. 574-25-31

WANTED TO BUY—Up to 10 milk cows. State price. David Beauchamp, R. 2, Bark River, Mich. 581-24-31

WANTED TO BUY—Portable typewriter. Phone 1285, Escanaba Veneer Co. 590-24-31

## Real Estate

FOR SALE—Modern house at 805 Lake Shore Dr. Inquire 627 S. 13th St. or Phone 275-W. 9534-313-11

FOR SALE—160 A. farm near Cornell; 80 A. farm near Garden; Store Building, Escanaba; 7-room house Gladstone. H. J. NEVILLE, Gladstone. Phone 6401. C-14-121

FOR SALE—10 acres of land, house, barn and garage; Old State Road, next to Earl Shaw Farm. See G. ARNTZEN, 620 S. 16th. Phone 1969. C-23-11

FARM FOR SALE—120 acres cleared. Leo Daigord, Fayette, Michigan. 989-24-31

FOR SALE—40 acres of land, building, 4 acres clear, all new wire fences, located 1 mile from Cornell. Write Philip Gardner, 6357 Cottage Grove, Chicago 37, Ill. 592-25-61

FOR SALE—New house, 1 1/2 miles north Gladstone. Strictly modern. Built-in insulation and weather strip. Fire-place, 2 car garage. Large room lot. Private bus slip. Price reasonable. Phone Esc. 1091 or Gladstone 3124. 594-25-31

## Lost

LOST—Last week at ice rink at Junior High School, boy's ice skates, chrome finish, size 9. Return to 327 N. 16th St. or Phone 1856-J. Reward. 573-23-31

## Farm Machinery

FOR SALE—New Gehl Hammer-mill in stock. Small size. For grinding feed, hay, straw, etc. WRIGHT TRACTOR CO. 594-25-31

## Found

FOUND—Sunday night, rhinestone brooch in 500 box on S. 10th St. Owner call 2589-R. Must pay for ad. 596-25-11

## Help Wanted—Male

WANTED—Piecemakers, excellent source. Apply Clinton Fosterling, Ralph, Mich. 501-23-31

## Freckles And His Friends



## Red Ryder



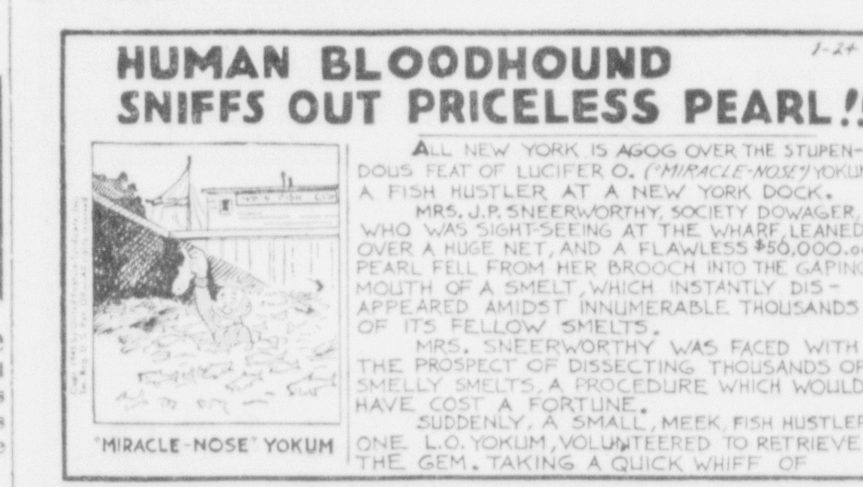
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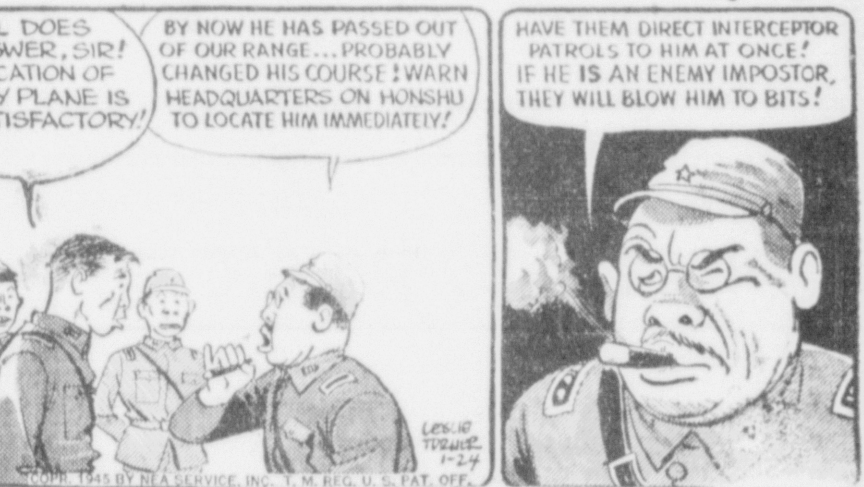
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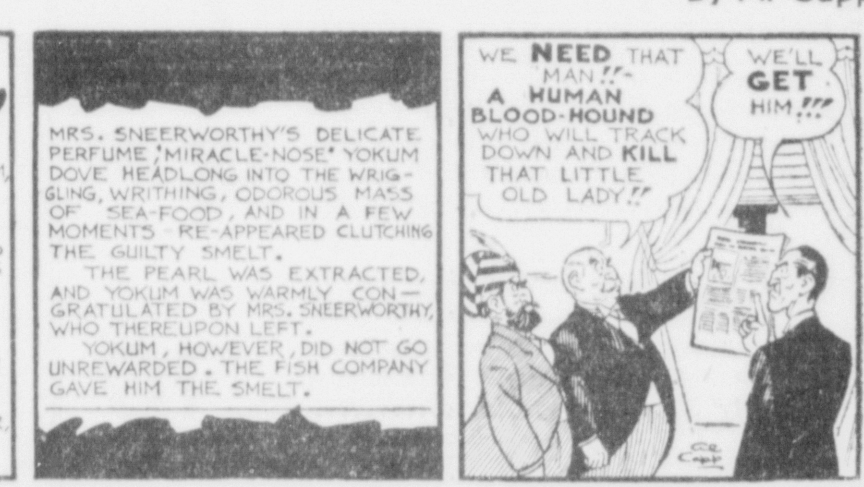
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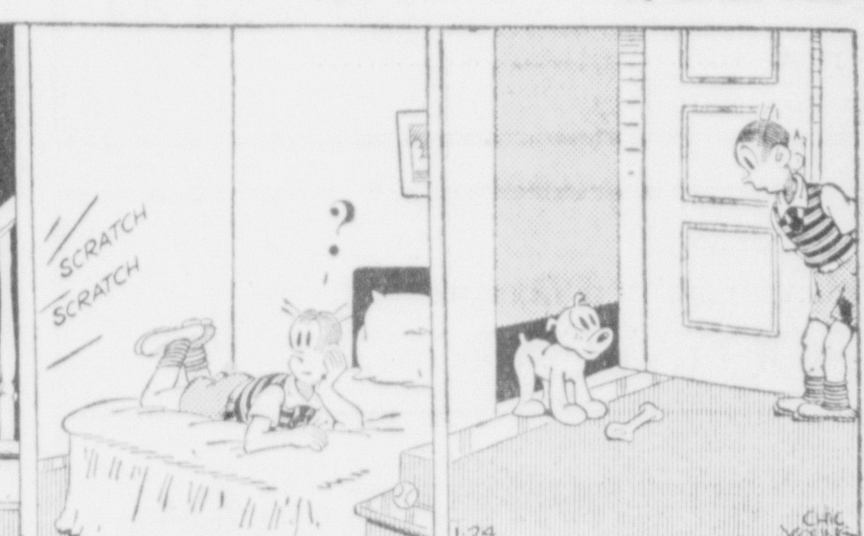
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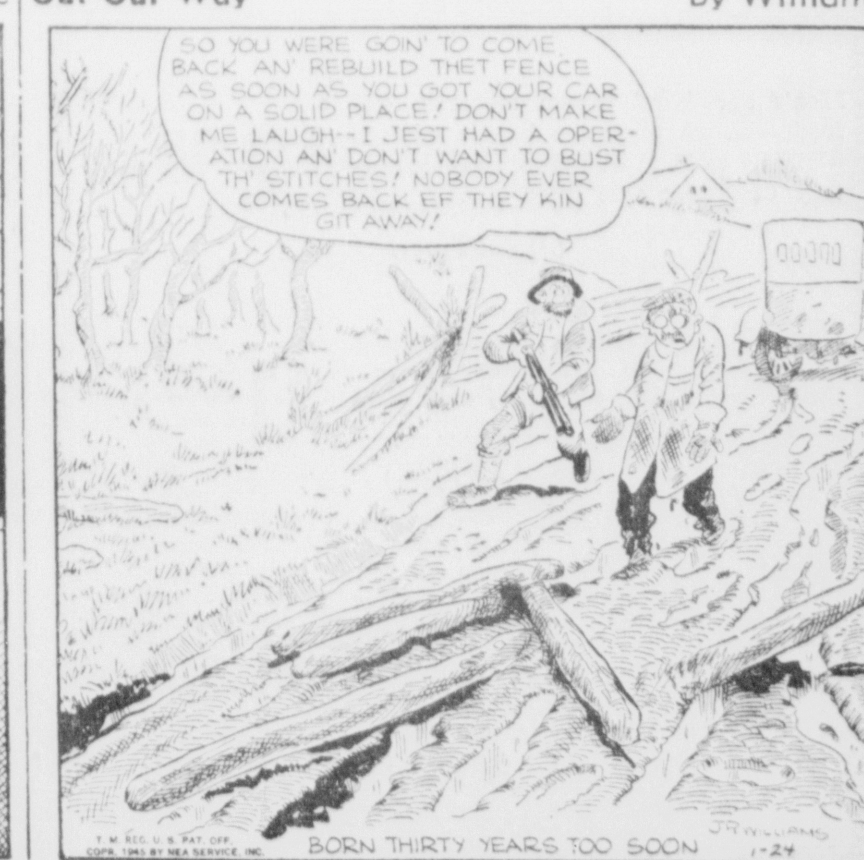
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## Clearance Women's SPORTSWEAR

- Second Floor
- Women's wool sno suits—treated for wind and water repellency. Poplin lined. Green, wine, or navy colors. Sizes 12 to 18. Reg. values to 16.95. Clearance, choice ..... **\$9.98**
- Hurry for these: Assortment wool skirts—dark colored plaids in flared and pleated styles. A few black flannels included. Values to 4.98. Sale price ..... **\$1.98**
- Special Clearance table .. assortment includes sweaters, cotton uniforms, rayon blouses, jumpers, housecoats and robes. Values up to 5.98. While they last, choice ..... **\$1.98**

## Clearance CHILDREN'S WEAR

- Second Floor
- Girls' winter coats of silvertone fleece with matching leggings, zipper closing—velvet collar. Wine or teal shades. Sizes 3 to 6. Also a few reversible coats, gabardine lined in sizes 7 to 10 yrs. Values to 10.98. Choice ..... **\$7.77**
- Kiddies' wool sno suits of wool fleece—beige with brown or red with green. Applique trim. Sizes 8 to 14 yrs. Values to 14.48 ..... Sale Price **\$8.88**
- Gabardine sno suits for girls, ages 7 to 10 yrs. Sheepskin lined jacket, flannel lined pants. Wind and water resisting cloth treatment. Red with navy. Pre-Inventory Sale only ..... **\$10**
- Girls' slipover sweaters with long sleeves in orchid, pink, aqua, or blue. Wool-and-rayon construction. Shop early. Clearance price. **\$1.49**

## Clearance Men's, Boys' and Women's FOOTWEAR

- Men's fine grade clog rubbers and sandals. Clogs, sizes 7 - 8 - 9. Sandals, sizes 9 and 9½. While they last ..... **59¢ Pr.**  
(Street Floor)
- Men's and boys' brown moccasin oxfords—brown plain toe buckle oxfords—sizes 7 to 11 in this group. Pre-Inventory Clearance sale price ..... **\$2.98 Pr.**  
(Street Floor)
- Women's two or three snap fastening rubber arctics—high, medium, military heels. Sizes 3½, 4 and 4½ only. Sale price ..... **\$1.00 Pr.**  
(Second Floor)
- Special group women's pumps. 206 pairs—broken sizes—Brown, blue, patents, and gabardines. Low, medium and high heels. Sizes 4½ to 9 in AAA to B widths. Big selection but not all sizes in all styles. Values to \$5. Pre-Inventory sale price ..... **\$1.98 Pr.**  
(Second Floor)

## Clearance ACCESSORIES

- Street Floor
- Exciting group of handbags. Regular 5.00 to 7.95 values. Broadcloths, failles, felts and leathers. Smart styles. Shop early for these ..... Sale price **\$3.00**
- Special assortment fascinators, scarfs and triangles. Regular 1.25 numbers. Pre-Inventory clearance ..... **79¢**
- Clearance Bunny fur mittens and knitted gloves. Solid white mitts or contrasting color palm of red or kelly. Gloves in red, maize, tan or black. Choice, pr. .... **\$1.44**
- Varied assortment of costume jewelry—novelty pins and earrings. Final Clearance, your choice at ..... **38¢**

## Clearance TOILETRIES

- Street Floor
- Special assortment nationally advertised soaps—Bath size (3 bars to box) Carnation, pine or Eau de Cologne. Reg. 90¢ to 1.00 values. Your choice at ..... **50¢ box**
- Another group of soaps including Baby Castile, oatmeal soap, cold cream soap or Easy-grip soaps. Fragrances are carnation, gardenia, pine and apple blossom. Sale, choice ..... **bar 6¢**

## Clearance HOME FURNISHINGS

- Third Floor
- Just one 12x12 foot Wilton rug in rich two-tone wine color. Regular 110.00 rug. Clearance price ..... **\$92**
- Also one 12x12 Axminster Rug in all-over floral and block pattern. Regular 70.00 rug. Yours for only ..... **\$62**
- Three-piece Dinette curtain sets of fine grade bleached cotton. Colorful fruit design. 1.99 value. Clearance ..... **\$1.69 set**
- 1-19 Davenport pillows of two-tone rayon taffetas and satins. Soft and fluffy. Blue, rose, green or wine shades. Clearance price ..... **87¢**
- Special collection of damask remnants—remnants of rough weaves and Rustite fabrics. For Pre-Inventory clearance choice at
- 25% to 50% DISCOUNT**
- One special table—odds and ends—lunch cloths, place mat sets and table covers. Some slightly soiled, others slightly imperfect. Choice at
- 1/3 to 1/2 PRICE REDUCTION**
- 72-inch x 90-inch heavy khaki covered, cotton filled comforters. Regular 3.69 values. Clearance price ..... **\$2.47**
- Seeco mattress protectors. Made of asbestos sulphate. Prevents mattress ticking and bedding from being torn. 1.25 value. Sale price ..... **69¢ ea.**
- One table of useful items or decorative objects 'd Art. Variety of vases, paper weights, tea pots, ash tray sets, book ends. Service kits and a host of other items too numerous to mention. Values to 1.50 ..... Choice **87¢ ea.**
- 98¢ novelty flower pots filled with dainty flowers. Assorted styles. Clearance ..... **69¢**
- Table lamps—smartly designed with polished bronze standard on marble base. Complete with decorative parchment-like shade. Regular 9.00 values. Clearance ..... **\$6.98**

## Clearance FABRICS

- Third Floor
- Large, special group of 54-inch woollens in assortment of plaids, checks and solid colors. Regularly up to 2.49. Clearance, choice, yard ..... **\$1.79**
- 36-inch striped, heavy quality cotton suitings. Stripes of blue, tan or grey. Regular 89¢ yard value. Clearance sale, yard .... **69¢**
- Unrestricted choice of all Simplicity and Pictorial Review patterns at only ..... **1¢ ea.**

## Clearance MEN'S WINTER JACKETS

- Street Floor
- 28-inch length brown leather jackets. Full belt, two flap pockets. Sizes 38 - 44 - 46. Regular price 16.50. Sale price ..... **\$12.95**
- Men's reversible 26-inch length leather jacket with belted back—zipper breast pocket—two lower slash pockets. Size 38. Reg. 18.95. Sale price ..... **\$14.95**
- 25-inch length brown leather jacket—plaid lining—belted back—two lower slash pockets. Sizes 38 to 46. Regular price 12.95. Clearance price ..... **\$8.95**
- Men's 32-inch reversible coats. One side of tan zelan cloth. Reverse side red and black plaid. Two muff and two lower button flap pockets. Sizes 40 to 46. Reg. Price 12.95. Sale Price ..... **\$8.95**
- "Klondike" gabardine 27-inch jacket lined with pure wool shearing—zipper fly front, knitted inner wristlets—two large lower flap pockets. Sizes 40, 42, 44. Reg. Price 22.50. Sale price ..... **\$14.95**
- Men's tan colored zelan cloth, wool lined jackets with belted back and adjustable side straps. Two lower slash pockets. Sizes 36 to 44. Reg. price 8.95. Sale price, while they last ..... **\$2.98**
- Men's Big Yank sueded cloth lined work jackets. Adjustable side straps, two slash pockets. All sizes. Reg. price 3.98, while they last, only ..... **\$1.98**
- Men's brown leather sheeplined vests with cloth sleeves and knitted collar. Sizes 42 and 44. Reg. price 10.95. Pre-Inventory sale price ..... **\$7.95**
- Men's Wool Overcoats**
- Just exactly eleven of these wool overcoats. Of natural tweed—dark grey .. all have storm collars. Regular price 19.75. Pre-Inventory sale price, while they last. Sizes 35 to 40. **\$7.95**

## Clearance MEN'S FURNISHINGS

- Street Floor
- One group of novelty suspenders. Regular 1.00. Clearance sale ..... **39¢**
- Men's fancy patterned dress shirts. Reg. 1.65. Broken sizes. Sale ..... **\$1.39**
- Odd lot of men's sports shirts. Values to 7.95. Clearance sale ..... **\$4.98**
- Assortment of plain and fancy wool mufflers. 2.98 values. Sale price ..... **\$1.98**
- Men's wool knitted vests. Regular price 3.98. Clearance sale ..... **\$2.98**
- Part wool socks. Slightly imperfect of regular 75¢ qualities. Pre-Inventory sale ..... **39¢ Pr.**
- Men's Laskin Lamb mitts. Leather palms. 3.98 values. Clearance sale ..... **\$2.98**
- Special assortment of smart neckties. Rich, attractive patterns. Values to 1.00 ..... Choice **39¢**
- Men's all-wool and part wool sweaters. Values to 4.50. Clearance price ..... **\$2.98**

## Clearance BOYS' WEARABLES

- Street Floor
- Odd lot of boys' lined coats—some reversible with hoods. Regular 16.95 ..... Sale **\$12.95**
- Others to clear at \$6.95
- Two sno suits of zelan cloth. Jacket has fur fabric lining and collar. Knit bottom pants are quilted lined. Size 4 only. Reg. 13.95. Sale price ..... **\$7.95**
- Little boys' army uniforms of 80% wool. Overseas cap to match. Sizes 4 - 6. Regularly 17.50 Clearance price ..... **\$9.95**

## Clearance of WOMEN'S HATS

- Second Floor
- Attractive hats in one exciting value group. Felts and few fabrics. New styles—casuals and dressy types that formerly sold up to 8.50. There are black hats, browns, and other new shades ..... Choice **\$1.00**
- Chill-Killers of soft light weight suede cloth. A pill box hat with muffler attached. Red fuchsia, blue, gold, green and tan .. Formerly 4.00. While they last ..... **\$1.00**
- Regular 1.00 sueded cloth head scarfs in white or colors. Choice at ..... **50¢**

## DOWNSTAIRS Pre-Inventory Sale

- Women's slipover sweaters with long sleeves. Most all are 100% wool. Counter soiled and discontinued numbers. Regular 2.98, 3.98 and 4.98 values ..... Sale price **\$2.00**
- Men's and boys' regular 29¢ and 39¢ socks—first quality and irregulars. Cotton and part wool—assorted patterns and solid shades. Sizes 10 to 12 ..... Choice **19¢ Pr.**
- Special group of Jean Ann printed percale dresses. Broken sizes. While they last, today, choice at only ..... **\$1.00**
- Women's 2.98 to 3.98 blouses. White and solid color crepes, prints, jerseys and spun rayons with short or long sleeves. Clearance Sale ..... **\$2.00**
- One rack of women's coats and suits, garments formerly up to 19.98. Broken size assortment. Clearance, choice ..... **\$5.00**
- Group untrimmed sports coats, fur-trimmed models and fur fabric coats. Regular 19.98, 24.75 and 29.75 values. Clearance sale ..... **\$13**
- Women's 100% wool coats—suede cloths, shetlands, Meltons and tweeds. Regular 32.75 to 39.75 values. Sizes 12 to 44. Your clearance choice ..... **\$24**
- Broken size assortment of 3.98 to 8.88 dresses—printed rayon crepes, solid colored crepes and spun rayons. Pre-Inventory sale price ..... **\$3.00**
- Women's hats in a very special Pre-Inventory Clearance group. Regular 2.88 hats to clear at only ..... **25¢**
- Women's fine quality cotton and rayon hose. Few irregulars, others first quality. Clearance sale price ..... **39¢ Pr.**
- Cannon Leaksville 50% wool blankets. Size 72 x 84 inches in green, blue or rose. Irregulars of 7.98 blankets. Clearance sale price ..... **\$4.88**
- Table of Odds and Ends—consisting of handbags, stationery, dummies, aprons and gloves. Values from \$1 to 2.98. Choice at only ..... **50¢**
- Group of women's 3.98 to 4.98 skirts in gored and pleated styles. Choice of solid colors and plaids. Pre-Inventory Clearance, choice ..... **\$2.00**